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BIRTHS.

CHRISTIE—July 15, 1923, at 17 Bachelors' quay, Cork, to Mr. and Mrs. Keith Christie, 9 Dunedin, Connaught st., a daughter.

MURPHY—July 13, 1923, to Mr. and Mrs. P. Murphy, 14 Charleston rd., a son.

O'CONNELL—July 9, 1923, at a Private Home in Dublin, to Doctor and Mrs. O'Connell, Maryborough, a son.

MARRIAGES.

ALLEN and MACFARLANE—July 11, 1923, at Tullamore Presbyterian Church, by Rev. J. Humphreys, B.A., David Thomas Milby, third son of W. J. and Mrs. Allen, Clara, to Rosabel Lyon (Allen), elder daughter of William Macfarlane, Clara.

BUCHANAN and HOLLAND—July 11, 1923, at St. Peter's Church, Staines, by the Rev. Canon L. G. Buchanan, M.A., Vicar of Holy Trinity Church, Hull, and uncle of the bridegroom, assisted by the Rev. F. Marriott, M.A., Vicar of St. Peter's Church, Staines, Captain Edgar J. B. Buchanan, D.S.O., Royal Engineers, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Eccles Buchanan, of Templemore Park, Londonderry, to Evelyn Constance, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Holland, of Ghimty House, Egham, Surrey.

FREEMAN and JOYCE—July 11, 1923, at Christ Church, Leeson Park, by Rev. Canon Pratt, M.A., assisted by the Rev. Herbert Turner, B.A., Henry Edward (Jack), youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Freeman, The Chestnuts, Carlow, to Eileen Victoria, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart S. C. Joyce, 19 Mountpleasant square, Dublin. No cards. South African papers please copy.

GALBRAITH and KYLE—July 11, 1923, at First Presbyterian Church, Ballymena, by Rev. Thomas Hastings, D.D., Liverpool, Edward, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. James Galbraith, Ballyarnett House, Londonderry, to Catherine McQuitty, elder daughter of the late Mr. James Kyle and of Mrs. Kyle, Broadway, Ballymena. No cards.

HOSTIE and PIGOT—July 14, 1923, at the English Church, Knocke, Belgium, by the Rev. J. A. Durling, M.A., Canlab., Jean François Hostie, Chevalier de l'Ordre de Léopold, to Christina, daughter of J. L. Pigot and Mrs. Pigot, of Dublin.

WEST and MONTGOMERY—July 11, 1923, at Holy Trinity Church, Rathmines, by the Rev. Canon Crosbie, D.D., Rector, William John Cameron West, 19 Grosvenor place, Rathgar, only son of the late Rev. William John West, St. John's Rectory, Sudbury, British Guiana, and Jessie (nee Cameron), to Edith Eileen Montgomery, only child of Howard Montgomery, late of Moyne rd., and Mrs. Montgomery, 26 York rd., Rathgar.

SILVER WEDDING.

McDOWELL and McLARTY—July 12, 1898, at Elmwood Presbyterian Church, Belfast, by the Rev. David Parres, M.A., James McDowell, of Dublin, eldest son of Mr. George McDowell, Coleraine, to Margaret Barrowman McLarty, daughter of the late Dr. Duncan McLarty, of Detroit, U.S.A., formerly of Glasgow.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this Column will be found on Page 4.

BROPHY—July 16, 1923, at St. Ann's Hydro, Farney, Arabella F. Brophy, widow of the late Nicholas A. Brophy, Glenlevin, Limerick. R.I.P. Requiem Mass will be celebrated in Clarendon St. Church yesterday (Tuesday), 17th. Interment, at 12 o'clock, to-day (Wednesday), 18th.

BYRNE—July 15, 1923, at her residence, 65 Waterloo rd., Josephine Mary, daughter of the late Michael Byrne, Bayswell, Co. Kilkenny. R.I.P. Funeral, after 9 o'clock Mass, this (Wednesday) morning from Haddington rd. Church. No flowers.

DOYLE—July 17, 1923, at the County Hospital, Galway, result of an accident on Sunday evening, John A. Doyle, Manager Messrs. Lee, Galway. R.I.P. Remains were removed from hospital to St. Joseph's Church yesterday (Tuesday) evening. Interment to-morrow (Thursday) morning after Solemn High Mass, at 11 o'clock, in Prospect Hill Cemetery.

GAVIN—July 14, 1923, at Kells, Kate, daughter of the late Cornelius Gavin, Loyd. R.I.P. Office and High Mass, 11.30, this (Wednesday) morning. Funeral, same day, 2 o'clock.

LOWRY—July 16, 1923, at Monkstown Hospital, following a motor accident, Andrew, the beloved husband of Florence R. ("Dan") Lowry, of 14 Sandycove av., E. Funeral private.

McGAHEY—July 17, 1923, suddenly, at her residence, 11 Connaught st., Phibsborough, Isabel Eleanor (Nora), eldest daughter of the late Thomas McGahey. Funeral private.

REDMAN—July 14, 1923, at Croydon Nursing Home, after a short illness, Marie, dearly-loved wife of Major Sydney G. Redman, Heather Lodge, Thornton Heath, Surrey, and only daughter of Samuel Crozier McCormick, Carrowmore, Co. Mayo.

ROOKE—July 17, 1923, at 4 Belgrave square, Monkstown, Co. Dublin, in her 97th year, Katherine Elizabeth, wife of the Venerable Archdeacon Henry Rooke. Funeral strictly private. No flowers, by request.

TUCKER—July 15, 1923, at Alberta, Grey stones, Mervyn Herbert Edward, the darling child of Annie and Herbert Tucker, aged 6 years, accidentally drowned. Funeral to-day (Wednesday), 3 o'clock.

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TYRRELL—July 11, 1923, drowned in River Rhine, Gunner Jack Tyrrell, only and dearly-loved son of the late Captain James Tyrrell and Elizabeth Tyrrell, of 39 Lower Main st., Arklow, aged 18 years. "When thou passest through the waters I will be with thee." Australian papers please copy.

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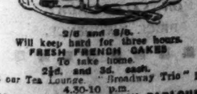
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GENTLEMAN'S Gardener, Groom, Working Stud Groom; experienced hunters; highest references.—Abbeylands, Killiney, Dublin. 16 E

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GROOM, married; understands hunters, brood mare and Foal; highly recommended.—Lawrence, Rock Cottage, Monkstown. 17 F

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HERD, Yard and General Man, wants engagement; R.C.; recommended.—S 713, this office. 17 F

PANTRY Man, wait table, housework, windows, wishes situation or trust.—S 726, this office.

PROTESTANT Youth wishes situation as Footman; well recommended. Apply Footman, 19 Fitzwilliam square, north. 16 E

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WORKING Gardener, disengaged when suited; first class references; life experience; married; Sons help.—Reply W. P., Coolfin, Banagher. 16 E

WORKING Steward or Farm Foreman, 35, single; life experience; good family and education; capable management; no politics; substantial cash security and highest undeniable testimonials.—S 638, this office. 17 p

WORKING Gardener, understands vines, peaches, good vegetable grower; milk; sea baby; well recommended.—S 717, this office. 17 D

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GIRL Wanted for light Daily Work; state age, wages, copy reference.—S 694, this office.

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WANTED, a Sewingmaid with workroom experience as an Assistant Dressmaker; good wages. Reply, with disclosure, Mrs. Ponsonby, The Grange Cottage, Broadstone, Wormersbastle.

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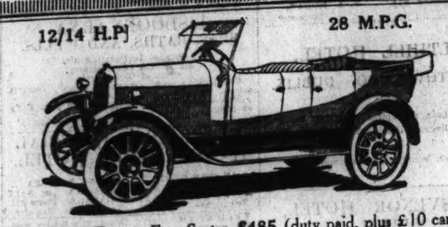

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Union Inmate's Death.

The death of Patrick Casey, 73, an inmate of the South Dublin Union, was investigated at the institution yesterday. Evidence was given that the deceased man had charge of a horse yoked to a brougham at Westland Row Station, when the animal slipped and fell. On springing up the horse struck Casey with its head on the chest. Casey suffered from pains afterwards, and died on Saturday last from heart failure as a result of pericarditis. A verdict of accidental death was recorded.

Military Band Performance.

The Special Infantry Corps Band, under the baton of Sergeant-Major T. Devlin, will discourse the following programme of music at East Pier, Dun Laoghaire, this evening at 8 o'clock:—March, "Florentiner," Fucik; overture, "Massaniello," Auber; valse, "Donau Wellen," Ivanovici; selection, "Mikado," Sullivan; descriptive, "The Jolly Coppersmith," Peter; march, "The Mad Major," Alford; selection, "Marliana," Wallace; serenade, "Italienne," Czibulka finale, "Soldier's Song." A cornet solo will be contributed by Corporal P. Haverty.

Church Services.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Dublin (a Branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.), 25 Molesworth street.—Services—Sunday, 11.30 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School, 11.30 a.m.; Wednesday (Testimony Meeting), 8 p.m. The Christian Science Reading Room open daily, 25 Molesworth street, free to the public, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Sunday, 3 to 6 p.m.

Second Church of Christ, Scientist, Dublin, Rathmines Park (a branch Church of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.).—Services, at which all are welcome—Sunday, 11.30 a.m., and 7 p.m. Sunday School, 11.30 a.m.; Wednesday (Testimony Meeting), 8 p.m. Christian Science Reading Room open daily, 85 Grafton street, free to the public, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Sunday, 3 to 6 p.m.

WOMAN AND HER HOME.

HOME-SICKNESS.

IT is when summer, the zenith of the year, has come that we suffer most from that sickness of the soul that is best described by the word "Heimweh."

The lover of Ireland cannot feel the joy of summer away from the place which is his home (in the truest sense), and if he wanders (seeking for variety and pleasure far from his land of beauty), a little bit of his heart is left behind, and there is an aching sense that the sun has a softer radiance, the grass a warmer green, and the roses a lovlier scent in Ireland.

Summer should be a season of joy and fulfilment, but it has an undercurrent of sadness (absent from spring, with its promise) arising from the fact that it has so short a time to stay with us.

For and thoughts, for "long thoughts," for the mood that makes us wish to be alone with nature, there is no country so *sympathetic* as Ireland. The dear land of laughter and tears is, perhaps, at its most lovely aspect in spring, or in autumn in summer, in the mountains and lakes); but in summer, in the country, Ireland has a special charm which, I think, is absent from the quieter, more peaceful, beauty of the English countryside, and from the rugged, grand scenery of Scotland.

One of our Irish poets has written of this time of the hay-harvest:—

"Over here in England, I'm helpin' wi' the hay,
An' I wisht I was in Ireland the livelong day;
Weary on the English hay, and sorra take the wheat;
Och! Corrymeela, an' the blue sky over it."

That is the true home-sickness; the sky was as blue over the English hayfield, and the smell of the hay was as sweet; but it wasn't Irish hay, and even the sunshine lacked something!

In most people there is a certain love of their own land, but it is a fact that some countries have a special fascination and an appeal to those who are their natives that is almost irresistible. Ireland is one of these lands, and many are those who have left it, hopefully and gladly, in recent times, who, after a little while, feel a tug at the heart strings and a sense of loss that they cannot understand, but which gradually develops into home-sickness. It is a lingering complaint which only time can cure, and it is one which leaves traces on the sufferer in after life.

In Wagner's opera, "The Flying Dutchman," there is a wonderful air which represents in music the "Heimweh" of the heart, the home-sickness of the mythical sailor who was doomed to eternal seeking for the port of Home, which he was to never find. This music, which seems to dominate the whole opera, exactly describes that curious ache of the heart, that sense of loneliness and loss, that vague unrest which accompanies homesickness.

We all know it in its lesser forms; the boy who first leaves home for a public school, in spite of his debonair bearing, feels it; the happiest bride knows it for a little while; the wanderer who loves to visit other lands often has a pang of home-sickness amongst the fairest scenes, when something, a strain of music, a word, brings back the thought of "home."

There is often, too, a sense of home-sickness felt for a house. Strange, that an inanimate building of bricks and mortar should have such an effect; but, perhaps, not so very strange—the house which is associated with childhood, with the hopes and fears of youth, with those we loved, who have left us long ago, must surely have a claim on us.

There is something very human and appealing about the old verses by Hood, which begin—

"I remember, I remember, the house where I was born,
The little window, where the sun
Came peeping in at morn;
He never came a wink too soon,
Nor brought too long a day;
But now I often wish the night
Had borne my breath away!"

Poor Hood! he knew sorrow when youth was past, and his home-sickness was for the house and the joys of his childhood, and for its innocence. He wrote at the end of the verses—

"But now 'tis little joy
To know I'm farther off from heaven
Than when I was a boy."

MAY SLADE.

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HOW TO MAKE COVERS FOR JUGS AND BOWLS.

MATERIALS:—Half a yard of fine net; large glass beads in any colour preferred; a ball of crochet cotton to match beads.

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Cut a piece of fine net a little larger than the object to be covered, fitchet a little larger than the paper pattern, and then cut out semi-circles from the edge all round; this may be done by placing a penny at edge of cover (about half of it lying over edge), pencilling the pattern all round, and cutting out. Then, after button-holing edges all round, a bead may be attached to each point. Beads may be in any colour preferred, and it is a pretty notion to have all one's covers in the same colour to match one's chins, or to harmonise with the colour scheme of one's room.

Beads of two colours used alternately give a very pretty effect, such as yellow and white, mauve and white, blue and glass, green and glass, or any other combinations preferred. Another distinctive fancy is to have one's monogram worked (in the coloured cotton) at the edge or corner of one's covers.

E. M.

BRITISH REVENUE.

RECEIPTS.

	Estimate for 1923-1924.	April 1, 1923, to July 14, 1923.
	£	£
Customs	116,900,000	36,947,000
Excise	143,850,000	39,104,000
Motor Vehicle Duties	13,250,000	4,712,000
Estate, etc., Duties	52,000,000	15,960,000
Income Tax	20,000,000	5,780,000
Land Tax, etc.	1,000,000	430,000
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DUBLIN AND THE PROVINCES.

DUBLIN.

KINGSTOWN'S ELECTRICITY SCHEME. By eleven votes to five, Kingstown Urban District Council last night decided to refer back to the Electric Lighting Committee the recommendations made by that Committee to the effect that Messrs. Tierney should be appointed electrical engineers to carry out the electric lighting scheme at a fee of 5 per cent. on the total expenditure, excluding the cost of erecting the generating station, and that Messrs. Donnelly, Moore, O'Keeffe and Robinson be appointed to prepare the necessary plans, estimates and specifications at a fee of 5 per cent. on the cost of the erection of the generating station only.

DONKEY SHOW.—A donkey show, under the auspices of the Dublin Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, will be held at 28 Dartmouth road next Saturday week. The object of the show is to encourage the better treatment of donkeys, and, as the society's prizes' fund is greatly decreased, an appeal is made for fresh support.

"RUSSIA TO-DAY."—A lecture on "Russia To-day" will be given this evening by Mr. Francis McCullagh, the well-known Irish war correspondent, in the Round Room at the Mansion House, Dublin. The proceeds will be devoted to the Central Catholic Library. Mr. McCullagh recently returned from Russia.

UNLABELLED MARGARINE.—Patrick Clarke, The Creamery, 45 Lower Camden street, Dublin, was fined £1 10s. on two summonses in the Police Court yesterday for (1) exposing unlabelled margarine, and (2) for selling margarine in a packet not so labelled.

HEALTHY KINGSTOWN.—Kingstown's death rate last month was 8.7 per thousand, an exceptionally low ratio. Two cases of infectious disease were reported.

Y.W.C.A. GIRLS' CLUB.—A market of fruit, vegetables, flowers, eggs, and cakes, etc., will (D.V.) be held at 7 Leinster street on Friday in aid of the Y.W.C.A. Girls' Club.

CONNAUGHT.

HOMELESS DONKEYS.—During the hearing of summonses at Roscommon against owners of cattle, for allowing them to wander on the roads, and in which nominal fines were inflicted, it was stated that there were twenty donkeys in the Courthouse yard, as no one could be found to claim them.

UNOFFICIAL LICENCE.—At Roscommon yesterday, Bernard Connaughten, Athleague, was fined £5 for selling intoxicating drink without a licence. It was stated for the defendant that he was trading under a licence obtained from a former district court.

LIVESTOCK SEIZED FOR RATES.—Civic Guards and military at Castlerea, Co. Roscommon, have seized cattle and horses belonging to two farmers whose rates are in arrears.

LEINSTER.

CO. LONGFORD BURNING.—Damage to the extent of between £2,000 and £3,000 has been caused by the burning of a hay-shed, containing a large quantity of hay, and a range of out-offices, the property of Major L. Dopping-Hepenstal, of Derrycasson, Co. Longford. The burning is believed to have been malicious.

FETE AT SKERRIES.—On Friday a fete will be held at The Tower, Red Island, Skerries, on behalf of the funds of the parish church. Among the attractions will be a Marconi "listening-in" apparatus. The apparatus will be erected by the Electrical Engineering Co.

MUNSTER.

UNPAID COTTAGE RENTS.—At a meeting of the Midleton (Co. Cork) Rural Council, the Clerk stated that on June 30 the arrears in rents of 567 labourers' cottages amounted to £1,000. One rent collector, whose arrears totalled £680, had resigned. With the exception of deciding to advertise for a man to fill the vacancy, the Council took no action in the matter.

LIMERICK MURDER CHARGE.—At Limerick yesterday, Patrick O'Donnell, Rexton's terrace, Pennywell, was formally charged with the murder of John Bourke, Nelson street, on Sunday, and remanded. Bourke was removed to hospital in an unconscious state and died later.

Mr. L. H. Lambert, Dysertmore, New Ross, Co. Wexford, is taking care of a stray carrier pigeon, marked N.U.R.P. 3384, etc.

The Committee of the Licensed Grocers' and Vintners' Protection Association has placed on record an expression of sorrow at the death of Mr. William Quinlan and sympathy with the relatives.

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT

IMPORTANT BEARING ON FREE STATE CREDIT.

The seventeenth annual report of the Irish Industrial Development Association (Incorporated) of 102-103 Grafton street, Dublin, read at the annual meeting yesterday, states that the unsettled conditions prevailing at home and abroad during the last year made it difficult, if not impossible, for Irish manufacturers to conduct their businesses profitably, and that many of them were forced to reduce output and curtail the number of their work-people. This, in turn, necessitated a considerable national outlay in unemployment insurance which, added to other causes, has tended to keep taxation at an excessively high figure, thereby placing a burden on industrial concerns, which few of them are strong enough to carry without injury to their resources.

While making full allowance for the many pressing matters which have occupied the attention of the Free State Government, the Council feels that the subject of Irish industrial development has not received the thought and attention which should have been bestowed upon it by an Irish Parliament, and that what could have been made an important asset, when assessing the nation's credit, has been treated as something of little or no importance.

The report adds that the number of firms to whom licence to use the Irish trade mark has been granted by the Council numbers 638. The Association was successful in preventing the use of popular Irish expressions—colleen, mavourneen, etc.—in connection with the products of Overseas firms. Many trade inquiries have been received, and the Council claims to have diverted "a considerable volume of trade into Irish hands which otherwise would have been lost to the country."

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

The new Council of the Dublin Industrial Development Association, Incorporated, elected at the annual meeting last week, met in the Permanent Exhibition premises, 40 Upper O'Connell street, yesterday, for the election of officers. Sir John Irwin was elected President, Messrs. J. P. O'Shea and J. Milroy, Vice-Presidents, and Messrs. M. P. Rowan and E. J. Brennan, hon treasurers. Mr. T. S. Lawlor was elected hon. secretary.

FUNERAL OF THE REV. EDWARD MORGAN GRIFFIN.

The funeral of the Rev. Edward Morgan Griffin, M.A., B.D., formerly Rector of St. Barnabas's, Dublin, and Rural Dean of St. George's, took place on Monday to Mount Jerome Cemetery, after a short Service in Holy Trinity, Church, Rathmines.

Mr. Griffin was ordained in 1878 by the then Bishop of Meath (Lord Plunkett), and was appointed to the curacy of Castlejordan. In 1881 he was diocesan curate of Meath, and from 1883 to 1894 he was incumbent of Forgney, Co. Longford. From 1894 till 1896 he was curate of Delgany, and the following year he was curate at St. Peter's, Dublin. The deceased gentleman took his B.A. degree at Trinity College, Dublin, in 1880; his M.A. in 1884, and his B.D. in 1896.

At the funeral the officiating ministers were Canon Lewis-Crosby and the Rev. H. M. Harriss.

The chief mourners were:—The Rev. R. Saunderson Griffin, the Rev. Edward M. Griffin, Dr. Samuel Griffin, Mr. Charles W. Griffin (sons), Mr. H. D. Purdon (son-in-law), Mr. E. J. Griffin (brother), Mr. C. M. Griffin (nephew), Mr. G. Jackson-Jones (brother-in-law).

Among the wreaths were one from his family, "In loving memory of a devoted husband and an affectionate father"; "In loving remembrance, from Harry and Alice"; "From Ethel"; and "In grateful remembrance, from St. Barnabas's Church," the latter being placed upon the grave by the people's churchwarden, Mr. S. Alford.

The annual Muslim festival of Eid-ul-Azha, held in commemoration of the Great Patriarch Abraham's Sacrifice, is to be held at the Mosque, Woking, Surrey, on Wednesday, July 25.

BELFAST HARBOUR.

POLICE AND PILOTS COMMENDED AT INSPECTION.

Mr. W. E. Williams, D.L., J.P., Chairman of the Belfast Harbour Board, at the annual inspection of the Harbour estate yesterday, referred to the improvements which had taken place in conditions in Belfast, and said that as peaceful conditions were now firmly established, the work of the police force would henceforth be carried on with less anxiety than in the troubled time of two or three years ago. The Harbour Trust knew that they could rely in the future, as in the past, on the absolute loyalty and devotion to duty of the officers and men of the Harbour police.

Superintendent Johnston, thanked the Chairman for his appreciative tribute.

The pilots ashore, under the charge of Pilot Superintendent Captain M'Intyre, Harbour Master, were also inspected, and were highly commended on their skill and appearance.

DUBLIN SHIPPING REPORT.

Barometer at 5 p.m.—29.95. Wind and Weather—Fresh westerly winds, passing showers, overcast.

Coastwise Arrivals.—Windermere (sch.), from New Ross; St. Mungo, from Bliesmereport; Saltom, from Garston; Fodhla, from Troon—all with goods. Foreign Departures.—Kapela, of Sandsfiord, 835 tons, for Barry, light.

Coastwise Departures.—Silvermore, for Holyhead; Cato, for Bristol; Ashleope (sch.), for Glasson Dock; Empress (sch.), for Preston—all with goods; Lonsdale, for Piel; Roadhelle, Glenmary, for Liverpool; St. Finian, for Garston; Trevor, for West Bank; Oak, Isabelette, for Newport; Stanley, for Trevor; Ashfield, for Ormeshead; Glencona, for Birkenhead—all light.

LLOYD'S MAIL NEWS.

AKABO, Liverpool for West Africa, left Calabar 14th.
ALBANIA, New York for London, passed Plymouth 17.
BALTIC, from Liverpool, arrived New York 16th.
BATA, for Liverpool, left Accra 10th.
BAYANO, from Avonmouth, arrived Kingston, Jamaica, 16th.
BOSCOVEN, for Liverpool, left Valparaiso 15th.
CALEDONIA, Bombay for London, str. Marseilles 16.
CHAMA, for England, left for Colombo 16.
CITY OF AUCKLAND, Liverpool for Calcutta, arr. Port Said 17th.
CITY OF EASTBOURNE, from London, arrived Algoa Bay 16th.
CONWAY, London for Haiti, left Kingston, Jamaica, 16
COMMANDANT DORISE, from London, arrived Saigon 16th.
COROMANDEL, for Jamaica, left Avonmouth 16th.
COLONIAL, from Liverpool, arr. Dar-es-Salaam 16th.
CORINTHIA, from London, arrived Natal 16th.
DUNGOLA, London for Yokohama, arr. Port Said 17th.
ELECTRICIAN, Beira for London, arrived Algoa Bay 16th.
FRANCISCO, from New York, arr. Hull 16th.
GUILDFORD CASTLE, London for Beira, arrived Table Bay 14th.
GLOUCESTER CASTLE, Beira for London, arrived 15th, Dakar 19th.
GLADIATOR, from Liverpool, str. Beira 17th.
HANNINGFIELD, from Liverpool, arrived Rio de Janeiro 14th.
HIGHLAND LADDIE, London for La Plata, arrived Para 16th.
KENT, for England, left Port Pirie 14th.
LANCASHIRE, London for Rangoon, str. Colombo 16.
LOANDA, from London, arr. Mollendo 16th.
MARRI, West Africa for Hull, and EURIPIDES, Brisbane for Southampton, called Tenerife, 15th.
MEGANTIC, for Liverpool, and VALACIA, for London, left Boston 16th.
MARBURN, from Clyde, and CARBOTIA, from Clyde, arrived Quebec 15th.
MASSILIA, London for Calcutta, left Malta 16th.
MAGELLAN, Punta Arenas for Liverpool, arrived Pisagua 15th.
MERCHANT, for Liverpool, left Bellisle 12th.
MARGHA, Calcutta for Piraeus, str. Marseilles 14th.
MONGOLIA, for London, left Sydney 16th.
MONTCALM, from Liverpool, arr. Montreal 18th.
MORTLAKE, Boston for Bombay, arr. Gibraltar 17th.
NELLORE, Calcutta for London, arrived Suez 16th.
NAVIA, for London, left La Plata 15th.
NARKUNDA, London for Sydney, left Adelaide 14th.
NAGOYA, London for Calcutta, arr. Madras 16th.
NAUCALPAN, for Buenos Ayres, left Hull 16th.
ORONTES, from Liverpool, arrived Valparaiso 15th.
ORISSA, Yokohama for Liverpool, called Cairoo 16.
ONTARIA, for Liverpool, left Sierra Leone 14th.
PALERMO, London for Sydney and SAXON, from London for Brisbane, arrived Table Bay 16th.
PRESIDENT ADAMS, from New York, and ANTONIA, from Montreal, arrived Gravesend 17th.
RAPHAEL, from Liverpool, arr. Buenos Ayres 15th.
SERBINO, Clyde for Alexandria, arr. Malta 16th.
SHONGA, Liverpool for Bathurst, left Dakar 13th.
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TAMPICO MARU, Yokohama for Liverpool, arrived Port Said 16th.
TSURUGA MARU, Yokohama for London, arr. Southampton 16th.
TOTTON MARU, for Liverpool, left Singapore 17th.
UMTUMA, for Hull, left Table Bay 14th.
VENNONIA, from London, arrived New York 18th.

Cunard Line.

ALBANIA, from New York, left Plymouth at 7 a.m. yesterday for London, via Cherbourg, and AQUITANIA, due at London at 5 a.m. to-day.
AQUITANIA, for New York, reported 766 miles west of Bishop's at noon on Monday.

One of the prisoners being taken from Cardiff for trial at Swansea Assizes escaped at Landore, where the party changed trains.

YESTERDAY'S CASES IN THE COURTS

ALLEGED CONSPIRACY TO MURDER.

COUNTY WATERFORD ACTION.

At the Law Courts, Dublin Castle, yesterday, before the Lord Chief Justice and a city special jury, an interesting action was heard concerned with incidents which occurred during the "Black-and-Tan" period.

The plaintiff was Patrick Hally, a farmer and victualler, of Tramore, Co. Waterford, and the defendant Lawrence Breen, hotel proprietor and publican, Tramore. The plaintiff claimed £3,000 damages, and alleged in the statement of claim that on or about January 6th, 1921, the defendant and two members of the Royal Irish Constabulary, one of whom was named Bryant, and the other of whom was unknown to the plaintiff, "conspired, confederated and agreed to murder the plaintiff"; that in pursuance of said conspiracy the defendant and two other persons, on or about the night of January 6th, 1921, entered a house in Tramore, where the plaintiff then was (all three conspirators being then dressed in the uniform of the said police force, and armed with revolvers), and brought the plaintiff out of the house and assaulted, beat and kicked him, and stated that they would shoot him. The plaintiff escaped from his assailants, and as he escaped they fired several revolver shots at him with intent to shoot him.

The plaintiff alleged that he sustained serious personal injuries and suffered great pain and mental anguish, and was forced to leave his home and remained in hiding for several months, thereby sustaining great loss and damage.

The defendant traversed the plaintiff's cause of action.

Mr. Patrick Lynch, K.C., and Mr. John O'Byrne (instructed by Mr. Peter O'Connor) appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. Serjeant Hanna and Mr. Connolly (instructed by Mr. Henry D. Keane), appeared for the defendant.

Mr. Lynch, in opening the case for the plaintiff, said the facts of the case were somewhat exceptional. In the early part of 1921 the plaintiff, a young man, who lived a little outside Tramore, was prominently identified with the operations going on in and about Tramore and district. The farm where the plaintiff resided was near the Metal Man—about three miles outside Tramore—but on the night of the 6th January Hally was staying in the house of Mr. John Walsh in Tramore. At about 11 p.m. three men came and knocked at the door. Having found that Hally was inside they placed sentries at the back and front, and ultimately they succeeded in getting Hally. Two of these three men were well known in a certain force which was on duty in Waterford and district and stationed in Tramore at the time.

HANDKERCHIEFS AND GOGGLES.

The three men were disguised to some extent, two of them having handkerchiefs across their faces, and the third wearing some disguise, and certainly wearing goggles. That third man was Breen, the defendant. They brought Hally with them out towards the Metal Man. They struck him with revolvers on the head, and told him that he was going to be shot, and to say his prayers. In anticipation of being shot Hally was placed on his knees, and after he had been beaten he escaped in the darkness of the night. When he was escaping he was fired on at least nine or ten times by these men, who were behind him. In consequence of what had happened, the plaintiff thought that it would be better for him to leave the Tramore district, and he went away "on the run," and remained "on the run" until the peace of the following August. The reason why the plaintiff brought the action was because of what was said of him during his absence from Tramore. It was said that he went away to avoid being shot by his comrades. On his return, the plaintiff opened a victualling business in Tramore, in a stall which Breen volunteered to let to him. Subsequently the plaintiff became suspicious of Breen, and ceased to be friendly with him.

On the night of the 26th December, 1921, Hally and two others were in the bar of the defendant's hotel. One of the "Black-and-Tans" came into the bar, and Hally spoke quite friendly to him. The man drew a revolver and fired it at the ground. About five minutes later the house was surrounded, and the plaintiff and the two others were searched by the "Black-and-Tans." Fortunately for them, they had no arms. In consequence of what he heard, Hally went to Breen and accused him of having told the police to search him to see whether he had a gun, and Breen admitted it. That happened on the 28th December, and on the 6th January Hally left the district "on the run," and had to remain away until the following August. No matter what Breen might say now, he had admitted to two men that he was one of the three men—counsel said that he was the man with the goggles—who attacked Hally on the night of the 6th January. It was not to seek vindictive damages that the plaintiff had come to Court, but he was anxious that he should be vindicated as to his relations with his associates in 1921.

PLAINTIFF'S EVIDENCE.

Patrick Hally, the plaintiff, gave evidence in support of counsel's statement. He said that he was now a 1st Lieutenant in the new National Army. In 1921 he was a farmer, and from 1917 had been in the Sinn Fein movement.

Serjeant Hanna—That is as distinguished from the Republic?

Plaintiff—It was all Republican at that time.

Serjeant Hanna—But I mean there were some changes afterwards, you know.

Mr. Byrne—Was Breen also connected with the movement?

Plaintiff—No, sir.

Proceeding, plaintiff said that on the 28th December he was in the Hibernian Hotel, Tramore, and someone was singing "A Soldier's Song." Breen said that he would not allow that song in the house. A "Black-and-Tan" named Bryant came into the hotel. Bryant was only a few days in Tramore at the time, and he got nervous and fired a shot through the floor. Afterwards the place was searched by the "Black-and-Tans." Witness told Breen that if he reported the matter to the I.R.A. he (Breen) would get into serious trouble. On the night of the 6th January witness was in the house of Mr. John Walsh, at Tramore. Three men broke into the house at about 11 p.m. One man had a handkerchief on his face and his hat drawn down on his eyes, and another had on a black mask. They shouted out: "Produce Hally!" Witness was in a room off the hall, and they went in and one of them struck him with a revolver on the jaw. Witness recognised that man as Constable Bryant. He caught witness by the throat, and witness said, "You might as well shoot me as choke me." Eventually the three men took witness to the Doneraile Walk, and brought him to the edge of the cliffs, which are 150 feet high. One of them said, "You won't be shot if you give us information." Breen was one of the men. Witness said that he did not know any information to give, and the three men kept on punching him with revolvers. They took his watch and money, about £14, and a Mail Eireann receipt for £25. There was whispering then between two of the men, and witness heard Bryant say, "If you shoot him, I will shoot you." The men then said that they would shoot witness, and fired about a dozen shots, the bullets whizzing around him. Witness said his prayers, and then escaped in the darkness and got back to Walsh's house.

AN ACTION FOR ASSAULT.

Cross-examined by Serjeant Hanna, John Walsh, in whose house witness stayed, also had an action for assault against the defendant to be tried in this Court.

On the evening of the day you escaped, was there an ambush of the Crown forces in Tramore? Yes.

How many of the Crown forces were killed—were there not a good number killed? I don't know—there might be a good many killed.

Where did the ambush occur? At the Metal Bridge, near Tramore.

Were you back in Waterford or Tramore before the truce, or immediately after it? After the truce.

Did you associate yourself with the Republicans after your return? Yes, but I was not fighting.

Until the Free State soldiers recaptured Waterford were you on the side of the Republic? No, I was not.

Were you at the unveiling of the monument to two men killed in the ambush on the 30th June, 1922? Yes.

Do you remember the Pickardstown pilgrimage in 1922?

Plaintiff said that he remembered the occasion, but denied that he made a speech attributed to him in a report in a local paper or that he was "Commandant, 5th Battalion, Waterford Brigade."

Serjeant Hanna—Do you suggest that Breen was not friendly to the Sinn Fein movement? Yes, I do.

To your knowledge did he not frequently give refuge to members of the Sinn Fein organisation who were "on the run"? No, I do not think so.

Was not the reason he was not admitted to the organisation because he had been in the British Army, in the Engineers? Yes.

Were not his father and his brother Martin well known in Waterford? Yes.

And Mrs. Breen's brother was shot in his own shop? Yes.

Serjeant Hanna—Did you and Walsh take Breen's two motor cars? No, we did not; we took one of them.

What did you take it for? We took it for safety.

Is that John Walsh, the young man? The young man.

Had you then in February, 1922, accused Breen of being the man who conspired to murder you with the "Black and Tans"? Yes.

And you took his motor car for safety—did you not use the motor car for the I.R.A. until the Free State returned it to him? No; I used it for delivering meat in the country.

Asked about the closing of Breen's Hotel in Tramore, plaintiff said: "We got orders to get Breen's Hotel closed and put a picket on it." He was not one of the heads of the I.R.A. at the time. The hotel was kept closed for a few race days.

And has not Breen served a writ on you for interfering with his business? Yes.

Had not Breen to keep away from Tramore until the Free State troops got control of Tramore? He never tried to go home.

Further cross-examined by Serjeant Hanna, plaintiff said that on the 19th June of this year he went into the bar of Breen's Hotel, asked for drinks for himself and William Walsh, and told the barmaid that they would not be paid for. He said that in a casual way—the drinks were paid for. He did not repeat the performance in another bar on the same day in the presence of Mrs. Breen.

The Lord Chief Justice—Were you in uniform? I was not. Witness said that he had a revolver in his pocket, but did not pull it out or threaten to shoot at the mirrors or break up the place. He denied that he threatened to stand at the corner and prevent them from carrying on business during the whole season.

Did you organise the opposition to the hunt, in consequence of which Mr. Joe Widger left the country? He did not leave the country in consequence of that. The opposition to the hunt was organised by the old I.R.A. "We got our orders," said the witness; "we went by these orders, and stopped Mr. Widger's hounds. That was in order to get the prisoners out."

Serjeant Hanna—Was Mr. Widger assaulted on that occasion? They gave as much assault as they got.

The evidence for the plaintiff had not closed when the Court rose until this morning.

G.S. AND W. RAILWAY COMPANY v. CORK CO. COUNCIL.

In the Chancery Division, before Mr. Justice Powell, yesterday, in the matter of the Great Southern and Western Railway Company v. the Cork County Council, with respect to contributions on foot of baronial guarantees to the Kinsale and Newmarket Railway.

Mr. Phelps (instructed by Mr. Croker Barrington), who appeared for the plaintiff company, applied to have a consent to settlement made a rule of Court. According to the terms of the settlement it was agreed that judgment should be entered for the plaintiffs for the agreed sums of £930, £642 3s. 4d., and £800, amounting in all to £2,242 3s. 4d., in full discharge of three several sums of £1,000 each awarded to the plaintiffs by the awards, dated, respectively, 24th February, 16th March, and 10th August, 1921, and made by the arbitrators duly appointed for that purpose under the provisions of the Kanturk and Newmarket Railway Act, 1887, as amended by the Great Southern and Western Railway Act, 1892, with ten guineas costs.

The judgment entered for the sum mentioned was to be paid and satisfied by the defendants in the following manner:—£711 1s. 7d. (already levied by and in the hands of the defendants) shall be paid by the defendants to the plaintiffs on or before the execution of the consent; the balance, £1,531 1s. 9d., shall be paid (so far as the same has been included in the rate struck and levied by the defendants for the year ending 31st March, 1923) by the defendants to the plaintiffs as soon as the same has actually been levied and received by the defendants; and the balance remaining unpaid (if any) of the said sum of £1,531 1s. 9d. shall be included by the defendants in the rate to be struck and levied by them for the year ending 31st March, 1924, and shall be paid by the defendants to the plaintiffs on or before the 31st March, 1924. The defendants shall forthwith pay to the plaintiffs the sum of twelve guineas for costs incident to the present action, including the consent. No further step or proceedings shall be taken by the plaintiffs in respect of the judgment provided the defendants duly carry out the terms and conditions of the consent.

If the defendants fail to pay the costs within ten days from the date of the consent, the plaintiffs shall be at liberty forthwith to proceed to execution on the said judgment for the amount of the costs remaining unpaid. If the defendants shall not have paid the full amount of the £2,242 3s. 4d. on or before 31st March, 1924, the plaintiffs shall be at liberty forthwith to proceed to execution, or otherwise enforce the said judgment, for any balance remaining due to them.

Mr. Justice Powell made the consent a rule of Court.

COUNTY MAYO PROBATE SUIT.

In the Law Courts yesterday, before Mr. Justice Samuels and a city common jury, the probate suit of Walsh v. McGovern came on for hearing. The action was brought to obtain probate of the last will of Celia Rowland, Newport, Co. Mayo, which was contested by her niece, Mrs. Sarah McGovern, on the usual grounds. Mr. Patrick E. Walsh, merchant, Newport, sole executor to the will, was the plaintiff.

Mr. Fitzgerald Kenny, for plaintiff, said that Miss Celia Rowland, having spent a number of years in America, returned to Newport, her native place. In 1917 she had an attack of pneumonia and was advised by Dr. Maguire to settle her affairs. Her will was drawn up by Canon McDonald, P.P., and was duly witnessed, all the necessary formalities being carried out. Celia Rowland did not die until 1922—five years afterwards—and in the interval she stood by this will. Her net assets amounted to £562. To her nephew, Michael McManamon, she bequeathed £100; to Bridget McManamon (his wife) £88 10s. 8d. (amount to deceased's credit in the Post Office Savings Bank); to her sister, Delia Higgins, in America £50; to her cousin, Mary Roche, also in America £50; to her godchild, Thomas Geraghty, £50; and to her cousin, Bridget Goggins, £50. She left £20 to Canon McDonald for Masses, and directed that the remainder should be devoted to furnishing and equipping the new church in Newport.

The defendant, Mrs. McGovern, was a niece of the testatrix. When the will was being drawn up, Canon McDonald suggested that something might be left to her. Testatrix replied that she would leave nothing at all to Mrs. McGovern, and Mrs. McGovern was now contesting the will.

Evidence bearing out counsel's statement was given by Dr. Maguire and Canon McDonald, the last-named stating that he merely drew up the will as it was dictated to him by the testatrix.

Evidence was also given by Mr. P. E. Walsh, executor of the will, and Miss Barry, who witnessed it with Dr. Maguire.

Evidence having been heard,

The jury found a verdict for the plaintiff answering in the affirmative the three questions submitted to them—(1) Was the will duly executed; (2) Was the testatrix of sound mind, memory and understanding; and (3) Did she know the contents of the will and approve of them?

An application for costs against the defendant was refused.

Mr. Patrick Lynch, K.C., and Mr. Fitzgerald Kenny (instructed by Mr. John Kelly, State Solicitor) appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Carson (instructed by Mr. J. C. Garvey) for the defendant.

SEQUEL TO MOTOR COLLISION.

The City Sub-Sheriff (Dr. L. Sherlock) and a jury, at Green street Courthouse yesterday, had before them the matter of damages in the action brought by John Lennon, of Kyle, Kiltegan, Co. Wicklow, and of Foxrock, Co. Dublin, against John and Christopher Cullen, motor car owners, of Donard, Co. Wicklow, in respect of a collision between the plaintiff's motor cycle and the defendants' motor car on the road near Crooksling, Co. Dublin, on January 4.

The jury assessed the damages at £75.

Mr. Joseph O'Connor (instructed by Mr. Friery) appeared for the plaintiff.

Mr. Cawley (instructed by Messrs. James O'Connor and Co.) was counsel for the defendants.

IRISH KENNEL CLUB.

A DISPUTED DECISION.

In the Chancery Division yesterday, before the Master of the Rolls, in the case of Long v. Hanna and others, an application was made on behalf of the plaintiff for an order for discovery of documents, and on behalf of the defendants an application was made for a cross order for discovery.

The plaintiff is Mr. Robert Long, of 11 Wellington place, South Circular road, Dublin, works manager; and the defendants are Mr. Serjeant Henry Hanna, K.C., 85 Pembroke road, Dublin; Mr. H. B. Fottrell, 2 Rutland square, Dublin; Mr. Patrick J. Corbett, 10 Hill street, Dublin; Mr. J. Nicholson, 2 Millmount avenue, Drumcondra, Dublin; Mr. Thomas J. White, 36 Oaklands Park, Dublin; Mr. John P. Coffey, 29 Synge street, Dublin; Miss Lucy K. Woods, Greenmount, Clonsilla, Co. Dublin; Mr. N. Fitzgerald, Dublin; Mr. Joseph A. Carberry, Beechgrove, Drogheda, County Inspector, R.I.C.; Mr. David Tobin, 24 Munster street, Dublin; Mr. Charles G. Reavy, Leinster Kennels, Leinster road, Dublin; Mr. Dawson Gordon, Geraldville, Dodder road, Rathgar, Dublin; Mr. James Mullany, 44 Annadale Park, Fairview, Dublin; and Mrs. Mary J. Forde, 122 Lower Baggot street, Dublin.

The statement of claim sets out that the plaintiff is the owner of the Irish terrier dog called Half Time, and the defendants are the Council of the Irish Kennel Club. The plaintiff registered the dog on the books of the Irish Kennel Club's Show, held in August, 1922, in accordance with the rules of the club, and paid by way of entrance fee the sum of £1 10s. The secretary of the show was Mr. Charles E. Taylor.

At the show Half Time was awarded one first prize and three second prizes, value for £2 12s. 6d.

Mr. W. K. Cahill, who was secretary of the club, was also a competitor in the classes referred to with his dog, called An-al-Oglac Ruad, and he forwarded to the plaintiff upon the 18th August, 1922, what purported to be an objection, signed by himself, and dated the 15th August, 1922, to the awarding of any prizes to the plaintiff's dog under Rule 4, "Preparation of dogs for show," together with what purported to be a certificate (undated) from J. W. Whitty, veterinary surgeon, to the effect that the ear tissue of plaintiff's dog had been cut.

Rule 4 was one of the rules of the Irish Kennel Club, and was:—

"The tails of the following breeds may be shortened:—Spaniels (except Irish Water Spaniels), and also Terriers, Fox Terriers (red or blue), Sealyham Terriers, Welsh Terriers, Old English Sheepdogs, Poodles, Toy Spaniels, Yorkshires, Schipperkes, Griffons, Bruxellors. Dewclaws may be removed in any breed, save as aforesaid; no alteration of, or interference with, the natural formation or condition of any part of an exhibit shall be permitted, unless as a result of a necessary veterinary operation, duly certified as such to the satisfaction of An Ard Chomhairle."

In fact, the ears of "Half Time" had never been cut, altered or interfered with in any way, and Rule 4 and the other rules applicable to the dog's preparation for the show had been carefully followed.

On or about the 21st August, 1922, the plaintiff wrote to Mr. Cahill, asking when the objection would be investigated, and intimating that he would attend with evidence.

COMMITTEE AND THE OBJECTION.

The statement of claim proceeded to allege that the provisions of Rule 14 were not complied with in reference to the objection. Among other matters the rule provided that the Show Committee should consider the objection and give its decision. The committee did not consider the objection or give its decision, and if the objection was considered, it was considered without notice to the plaintiff, as provided by the rule. The rule further provided for an appeal from the decision of the Show Committee to the Council of the Irish Kennel Club, called in the rule, "An Ard Chomhairle."

These having been no decision of the committee from which to appeal, the Council purported, on or about the 8th September, 1922, to hear and consider the objection, and the defendants, Serjeant Hanna, Mrs. Mary J. Ford, Messrs. Fottrell, Corbett, Coffey, Nicholson, White and Cahill were present. A decision was published in the *Irish Field*, stating that the Council had declared that "Half Time" was shown contrary to the condition of Rule 4 of the Irish Kennel Club, and that the exhibit should be disqualified and should forfeit all prizes, cups and specials awarded to it at the Show, and that the owner, Mr. R. Long, should be suspended for a period of twelve months from the 9th September, 1922, from taking part in any show or field trial held under the Rules of An Cumann, and that the exhibits next in order of merit should be promoted.

As a result of the decision Mr. Cahill was awarded a prize in one of the classes in which the plaintiff's dog had obtained a prize. The defendant, Mr. Coffey, opposed the decision of the Council, and the defendants, Mr. Mullany and Mr. Woods, took no part in it. These defendants were joined in the action for conformity. No relief or costs had been claimed against them.

INJUNCTIONS CLAIMED.

The plaintiff claimed a declaration that the decision of the Council of the Irish Kennel Club of the 8th September, 1922, was unauthorised, *ultra vires* and illegal; a declaration that the exhibit "Half Time" is entitled to all prizes, cups and specials awarded to him at the Show; an injunction restraining the defendants from disqualifying the exhibit in respect of the Show and from withholding from the plaintiff the prizes, cups and specials awarded; an injunction restraining the defendants from suspending the plaintiff for a period of twelve months from the 9th September, 1922, or for any period in respect of the preparation of the exhibit for the Show, and an inquiry as to the damages sustained by the plaintiff by reason of the decision of the Council, and payment of the amount found on the making of the inquiry.

STATEMENT OF DEFENCE.

The statement of defence set out that the defendants represented the Council of the Irish Kennel Club, which held its first Championship Dog Show in Merrion square, Dublin, on the 15th August, 1922. The plaintiff duly registered his dog "Half Time" in the books of the Irish Kennel Club, and signed an entry form in respect of the dog in various classes at the Show. The entry form contained a declaration by the plaintiff that he entered the dog at his own risk, subject to the rules of the Irish Kennel Club and the regulations of the Show, which he had read. By this entry form the plaintiff agreed with the Council of the Irish Kennel Club that any decision given against him by the Council or any sub-committee or body to whom such power had been delegated might, together with the report of the proceedings in the matter, be published, together with his name, address and description.

On the 15th August, the day on which the Show was held, and before the Show had closed, Mr. Cahill lodged with the Secretary, Mr. Charles E. Taylor, an objection to the plaintiff's dog "Half Time." At the time the objection was lodged the veterinary surgeon attached to the Show (Mr. R. H. Lambert) had left the Show, and it was impossible to have the plaintiff's exhibit inspected and reported on by him. It was then inspected by Mr. Whitty, veterinary surgeon, Tralee, in the presence of the plaintiff and Mr. Fottrell. The Council, after considering the objection, were of opinion that plaintiff's exhibit, "Half Time," was shown contrary to Rule 4; that "Half Time" should be disqualified; should forfeit all prizes, cups and specials awarded to him at the said Show, and that plaintiff should be suspended for twelve months from the 9th September, 1922, from taking part in any show or field trials held under the rules of the Irish Kennel Club.

The defendants submitted that plaintiff, by signing the entry form, accepted the jurisdiction of the Council, and that their decision was made in accordance with the rules of the Irish Kennel Club.

Mr. Hubert Hamilton (instructed by Mr. A. Lane Joynt) applied for discovery on behalf of the plaintiff.

Mr. Dockrell (instructed by Mr. Matthew Good, LL.D.) appeared for the defendants in support of the application for an order for cross-discovery, and said that his clients thought that the first-named defendant (Mr. Serjeant Hanna) should make the affidavit of discovery.

The Master of the Rolls—Very well. That is a sporting offer. (Laughter.)

Both applications were granted.

An agreement has been made between the Royal Automobile Club and the Rumanian Automobile Club for the interchange of the triptyque facility, whereby members of the R.A.C. touring abroad avoid all difficulties and financial transactions with the Customs authorities in Rumania.

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ADMIRALTY CASE.

In the Court of Appeal in the High Court of Justice, before Lord Justices Ronan, O'Connor and Dodd, an appeal was heard from the decision of Mr. Justice Samuels, the Judge of the Court of Admiralty, in a case in which the Cork, Blackrock and Passage Railway Company sued Captain Philip Pinkney, master of His Majesty's motor boat, Wusser, for £178 damages, alleged to be occasioned to a pile outside the western extremity of the plaintiffs' landing stage at Queenstown.

The action was originally heard in the local Court of Admiralty of the Borough of Cork by His Honour the Recorder of Cork. It was alleged on the part of the plaintiffs that Captain Pinkney was in charge of the boat Wusser, which was used by the British military authorities for conveying troops from Spike to Queenstown, and that, when approaching the landing stage and passing plaintiffs' pier, in order to avoid a small boat which was coming out from the Camber with children in it the Wusser was so negligently navigated that she struck the pile and damaged it to such an extent that it would have to be renewed at a cost of £178. The defence was a denial of negligence. The Recorder found for the plaintiffs, giving £45 damages. Against this decision the defendants appealed to the High Court of Admiralty. In the High Court of Admiralty Mr. Justice Samuels, the Judge of the Admiralty Court, reversed the decision of the Recorder, stating that, in his opinion, there was no negligence whatever on the part of Captain Pinkney, but that he did the only thing that was not only reasonable, but proper to do. From this decision the plaintiffs appealed.

The Court of Appeal dismissed the appeal, with costs, affirming the decision of Mr. Justice Samuels.

Counsel for the plaintiffs—Mr. H. D. Conner and Mr. W. C. A. Hungerford (instructed by Messrs. Walter Ronan and Son, solicitors, Cork).

Counsel for the defendant—The King's Advocate, Mr. Gerald FitzGibbon, K.C., and Mr. George Daly (instructed by Messrs. A. H. Allen and Son, solicitors, Queenstown).

Signora Francesca Garibaldi, widow of the late Giuseppe Garibaldi, son of the famous patriot, has died at Caprera.

A charge of being in possession of counterfeit silver coins was dismissed at Feltham, Middlesex, as it was proved, when the coins were tested at the Mint, that they were genuine. They had come in contact with mercury and were discoloured.

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SHOW OPEN 2 P.M. TO 8 P.M.

The following Trains will Stop at Woodbrook:—From Westland Row—8.57 and 9.45 a.m., 1.45, 2.45, and 5.48 p.m. From Harcourt street—8.45 a.m., 1.30, 2.15, 5.15 p.m. From Bray—8.55 a.m., 1.30, 2.7, 2.30, 3.7, 6.7, 7.12, 8.37 p.m.

PUBLIC MEETING
TO DEMAND
RELEASE OF PRISONERS
will be held in the Round Room, MANSION HOUSE (by kind permission of the Lord Mayor), on TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), 19th inst., at 8 p.m. REV. FATHER FAGAN, Columbus, Ohio, and prominent Dublin citizens will speak.
MRS. DESPARD, President Women Prisoners' Defence League, will take the chair.

MALAHIDE REGATTA,
SATURDAY, JULY 21st.
YACHT, MOTOR-BOAT, AND ROWING RACES.
A VARIETY OF OTHER SPORTS.
BANDS.
FIRST RACE ..... 4 P.M.

CRICKET.
WEST INDIES v. DUBLIN UNIVERSITY.
MONDAY and TUESDAY,
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Play commences 11.30 each day.
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Government is about to pay the amounts of certain Criminal Injuries Decrees awarded in respect of Injury by arms.
Full particulars of the several Awards are published in the "Iris Oifigiúil" (The Dublin Gazette) dated 17th July, 1923.
The Counties in which the Decrees were obtained are:—Clare, Cork, Galway, Kerry, Leitrim, Mayo, and Roscommon.
NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that all persons having, or claiming to have, any charge against, or lien on the said Decrees, are required to furnish particulars thereof to the Secretary, Ministry of Finance (Compensation Section), Government Buildings, Dublin, on or before the 24th July, 1923.
Printed Notice in the "Iris Oifigiúil" are obtainable from Messrs. Eason and Son, Limited, Stationers, Lower O'Connell street, Dublin, price 3½d. each post free.
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THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION, of Upper Merrion street, Dublin, hereby give notice that, in consequence of the desire of the Minister for Fisheries, they have applied to the Ministry of Industry and Commerce, under Section 47 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, for a change of their ship "HELGA," of Dublin, official number 124137, of gross tonnage 322.80 tons, of register tonnage 111.40 tons, or permission to change the name to "MURCHU," to be registered in the said new name at the Port of Dublin, as owned by them.
Any objection to the proposed change of name must be sent to the Assistant Secretary, Ministry of Industry and Commerce, Upper Merrion street, Dublin, within seven days from the appearance of this advertisement.
Dated at Dublin this 18th day of July, 1923.
W. WARD,
Assistant Secretary.
On behalf of the Secretary.

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17th July, 1923.
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THOMAS DELANEY, Secretary.
Grand Canal House,
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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.
In the Goods of
DORCAS MARIA SMITH, late of 32 Leeson Park, Dublin, Widow, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 30 and 31 Vic. Cap. 54, that Dorcas Maria Smith, late of 32 Leeson Park, Dublin, Widow, Deceased, made her Will, dated the 18th day of February, 1914, whereby she bequeathed the following legacies, free of Legacy Duty:—
£100 to the Treasurer for the time being of Merrion Hall, Lower Abbey street, Dublin, for the benefit of the Hall and the work carried on there.
£100 to the Treasurer for the time being of Miss Carr's Homes (6 Northbrook road, Dublin).
£50 to the Treasurer for the time being of the late Mrs. Shekleton's Orphanage.
£50 to the Protestant House for Orphan and Destitute Girls, Harold's Cross, Dublin.
£20 to Sir Patrick Dun's Hospital.
£20 to the Royal Hospital for Incurables.
And Testatrix declared that the receipts of the respective Treasurers for the same respectively payable to them as aforesaid should be a sufficient discharge to her executors.
The Testatrix died on the 18th day of April, 1923, without having altered or revoked said Will, save by one Codicil which did not affect the above legacies, and Probate of said Will and Codicil was on the 19th day of June, 1923, granted forth of the Principal Probate Registry of the High Court of Justice in Ireland Division to Robert A. Wanless O'Gowan, of 32 Leeson Park, aforesaid, Major-General in His Majesty's Army, Madam Frances Christopher Earle Bland, of 10 Stephen's Green, Dublin, Esquire, the executors therein named.
Dated this 14th day of July, 1923.
S. S. and E. REEVES and SONS, 51 Merrion Square, Dublin, Solicitors for said Executors.
To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests and all whom it may concern.

Gazette Notice—Adjudication—Public Sittings.—17. IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE.
KING'S BENCH DIVISION—IN BANKRUPTCY.
MICHAEL JOSEPH McDONNELL, of Main street, Charlestown, in the County of Mayo, Shopkeeper, was, on the 10th day of July, 1923, adjudged Bankrupt.
Public Sittings will be held before the Court at the Law Courts, the Castle, Dublin, on Tuesday, the 7th day of August, 1923, and on Tuesday, the 21st day of August, 1923, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, whereat the Bankrupt is to attend and to make a full disclosure and discovery of his estate and effects. Creditors may prove their debts, and at the First Sitting choose a Creditors' Assignee. Notice of the Last Sitting the Bankrupt is required to finish his examination.
All persons having in their possession any property of the Bankrupt should deliver it, and all debts due to the Bankrupt should be paid to A. G. Hollingshead, the Law Courts, the Castle, Dublin, to whom creditors may forward their Affidavits of Debt.
W. F. COOPER, Second Assistant, Deputy Registrar.
J. L. SCALLAN and Co., Solicitors, 25 Suffolk street, Dublin.

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In the Goods of
TERESA WILLIAMS, late of Dew Park, Tullamore, King's County, Widow, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 30 and 31 Vic. Cap. 54, that Teresa Williams, late of Dew Park, Tullamore, King's County, Widow, deceased, made her Will dated the 21st day of October, 1922, whereby she bequeathed the sum of £1,000 each to her daughters, Sister Magdalen Gertrude Williams and Sister Mary Peter Williams, both of whom are members of the Order of the Sisters of Charity in Ireland, for the use of whatever convent they may be resident in at the time of her death, and the said Testatrix directed her Trustees to apply the sum of £500 in having Masses celebrated in public in Ireland for the repose of her soul and the soul of her deceased husband, at an honorarium of ten shillings for each Mass.
And the said Testatrix appointed as Executrices and Trustees her daughters, Mary Teresa Williams, of Dew Park, Tullamore, aforesaid, Spinster, and Kathleen Mary Cruise, of Rathgiltan, in the County of Wicklow, Married Woman.
And the Testatrix died on the 28th day of March, 1923, without having altered or revoked said Will, and Probate thereof was granted to the said Executrices by the Principal Registry, High Court of Justice (Probate), Saorstat Eireann on the 28th day of June, 1923.
Dated the 17th day of July, 1923.
BROWN and McCANN, Solicitors for Executrices, 23 Anglesea street, Dublin, and Naas, Co. Kildare.
To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests, and all whom it may concern.

SUMMER DRINKS—Some useful recipes are given by Molly Bawn in the Woman's Page of the "WEEKLY IRISH TIMES." On Sale to-day.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

The following is the order of Advertisements in to-day's Irish Times:—

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The Irish Times.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 18, 1923.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

In the Dail yesterday the Assistant Minister for Industry and Commerce made a statement on the question of railway grouping.

President Cosgrave met Sir James Craig in London yesterday. A further meeting is to be arranged later.

Mr. de Valera in a message to a Sinn Fein meeting in the Dublin Mansion House last night, adopted Fintan Lalor's declaration that the ownership of Ireland is vested in the Irish people and his claim to full and absolute independence. "We will never," he said, "swear an oath of allegiance to a foreign King."

There is no change in the dockers' dispute, but the Minister for Industry is in close touch with both parties.

The Court of Appeal in Dublin yesterday upheld the appeal of Messrs. Arthur Guinness, Son and Co. against the decision of the Court of King's Bench, which held the firm liable in respect of assessments for income tax and excess profits duty in connection with sales of barley ordered under the Defence of the Realm Regulations.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Pay in the British Army is to be reduced.

The King yesterday re-opened Westminster Hall, London's most historic building, which has been undergoing extensive repairs to the roof for eight years.

ABROAD

It is proposed that the shipping companies should inform the American authorities of the number and nationality of immigrants desiring to embark in European ports, so that advice may be sent if the month's quota for any particular nationality is exhausted.

Agreement seems to have been reached on all the major points at issue at Lausanne, and the delegates have agreed to sign a Peace Treaty next Tuesday.

Princess Alice Duchess of Athlone yesterday formally opened a Merchant Service Club and Seamen's Institute at Dunkirk. The buildings have been erected as a war memorial.

Railways and Common-Sense.

President Cosgrave and Sir James Craig met yesterday in London "by mutual agreement," discussed the question of railway transport as it concerns their respective Governments, and made arrangements for a further meeting. Every good Irishman in both sets of counties will welcome this news. The heads of two big firms can do more to arrange a business deal by a frank and private exchange of views than many joint meetings of their boards of directors could accomplish. President Cosgrave and Sir James Craig probably approached a better understanding on the railway question yesterday than could have been approached after a dozen full-dress debates—strictly at arm's length—in the Parliaments of the Free State and of Northern Ireland. Some sort of co-operation in railway affairs between the two Governments is essential if the two States are to prosper. The most selfish interests of both demand it. If each were to retire, like Achilles, into its own tent and to claim the luxury of a separate and self-contained railway system, the economic consequences would be disastrous for both. For instance, if the dockers' strike is prolonged, the facilities of the Port of Belfast and of the Great Northern Railway Company's upper system may become vital to the Free State. In *Dail Eireann* yesterday the Assistant Minister for Industry and Commerce spoke of the proposed amalgamation of the Great Southern and Western and Midland Great Western Companies and of other schemes for the reorganisation of the Free State railways. These matters are very important, but they touch only the fringe of the question. No settlement can meet the full needs of the Free State or of Northern Ireland, or of both, which does not treat the country's railway system as, for all practical purposes, a unit, and neither Government alone can furnish such a settlement. We are convinced that a joint arrangement is possible which will compromise no political rights or pretensions in either State. President Cosgrave and Sir James Craig seem to be searching for it in the proper way.

The record of the Ministry of Industry and Commerce, as revealed in the *Dail* yesterday, is creditable and interesting. Unfortunately, all Mr. Whelehan's projects are overshadowed for the moment by the menace of industrial chaos. There is a touch of irony in the discussion of trans-Atlantic shipping services at a time when St. George's Channel is forbidden to all the food-bearing and cattle-carrying vessels of the Free State. Mr. Whelehan's brief reference to the dockers' dispute was satisfactory so far as it went. He said that his Ministry was engaged, day and night, in the most earnest efforts to secure a settlement. This is a case, however, where the Government's intervention offers slight hope of success. If the Executive of the Irish Transport and General Workers' Union cannot control its own members, where can either the shipping companies or the Government hope to discover a basis for negotiation? A statement on this subject from the Labour Party in *Dail Eireann* would have been important and might have been useful. If that party deserves its name, we must credit it with a certain amount of authority over the rank-and-file of Labour; and, in view of the general election, the country is entitled to know the Labour Party's attitude to the tremendous issue that is now at stake. Does it endorse or does it repudiate the principle of collective bargaining in trade disputes? Is it prepared to throw its whole weight into the scale against the disruptive influences which, if they are allowed to triumph, will take their heaviest toll from the Irish working classes? Mr. Thomas Johnson's chief concern yesterday was with a question of definition. He insists that the dockers who refuse to accept the beginning of a wages cut which is in full force across the Channel are not "on strike," but are "locked out."

Irish Antiquities.

More than usual interest attaches to the little ceremony yesterday at the Viceregal Lodge when the Royal Society of Antiquaries of Ireland presented their address of welcome to the Governor-General of the Free State. Similar addresses have been presented by other learned societies, but by none that labours in a richer field. The Society which, as the address pointed out, began life seventy-four years ago as the Kilkenny Archæological Society, was instituted for the study of ancient remains, the arts, history, manners and customs of Ireland in the past. After twenty years of steadily widening esteem it became the Royal Historical and Archæological Association of Ireland —a title which, at the close of another twenty-one years, was changed to the briefer, but not less appropriate, name that the Society now bears. It holds meetings, publishes a journal and occasional volumes and pamphlets on matters of antiquarian interest, and maintains an unofficial supervision of Irish monuments and remains with a particular view to their care and preservation. In his reply to the address the Governor-General spoke of the credit due to the Board of Works for its services as the official protector of our ancient monuments, and incidentally reminded the deputation of what he described as his own humble share of that work—the insertion in the Local Government Act of 1898 of the clause which put a check on the dilapidation of ancient monuments. The address urged that further and more extensive measures should be taken by the Government to provide an adequate survey of the antiquities of the country. His Excellency agreed that more might have been done in former years, and said that much could, and would, be done in the future. The more the past is explored, he said, the more will Erin's glory brighten.

Every Irishman will support the view that the Government should find the time, and should try to find the money, to prepare the survey for which the Royal Society of Antiquaries pleads. No country in the world depends more than ours on stone and bone and earth and broken shard for the piecing together of the lost and scattered puzzle-picture of its ancient history. These pages of the lost picture-book of forgotten days have called aloud to be deciphered before the disintegrating forces of Nature and the destructive hands of men obliterated them utterly. Too many that could have been saved, and their message preserved for all time, are buried already in oblivion. Others are disappearing rapidly. It is time, and more than time, that a final effort should be made to learn all that can still be learned, and to pour upon this palimpsest of field and hill, barrow and tower, lost boundary and ruined sanctuary, the ultimate acid of organised and unsparing research. Recently we took occasion to point out, while commenting upon important discoveries made in England by means of aerial photography, that the Free State Air Force could be impressed into the service of archæology with results surpassing, it may be, the laborious investigations of decades of field work. Thus an inexpensive beginning could be made. There is no time like the present for the brightening of Erin's glory, no field in which the "truth about Ireland" can be so usefully proclaimed. Already the arts of war and peace have replaced one another in the order of their importance, and of the arts of peace none is closer to Irish hearts or stands higher in the esteem of the civilised world than the effort to record the work and play, the glory and the tragedy of those who for unnumbered centuries before our time strove with those same arts to build, stone by patient stone, the Ireland of our dreams.

An American Senator.

One must have a good understanding of American politics in order to be able to appreciate the significance of the election of Mr. Magnus Johnson, a professed labour candidate, as United States Senator for the State of Minnesota. Mr. Johnson, it appears, is a farmer, and the fact that he contrived to unite in himself the dual political rôle of farmer and labourer indicates at the outset that in Minnesota the recognition of class as a basis of political partisanship either has gone very far or still has a long way to go. The significance of the election lies, however, in the fact that there is no Congressional Labour Party in the United States. The American Federation of Labour always has maintained that the trade unions ought not to carry their championship of Labour into the political arena. There is no other country in the world where Capitalism is stronger than in the United States; but this condition is offset by the fact that all American workmen aim to be, and most of them are, capitalists in a small way. No American workman will allow his own wage-earning pace to be retarded for the benefit of somebody less skilful or less industrious than himself. We may assume, therefore, that Senator Johnson's alleged Labour *status* represents his feelings rather than a definite affiliation of politics. It is sufficiently novel, however, that he should have attached that or any other class label to himself. A few years ago no man could have secured election to Congress in any part of the United States who ticketed himself "Labour."

The Open Air.

The present spell of hot weather in these islands has served to make many of us long for at least one of the Continental institutions—the open-air *café*. Whenever the sun comes out in full force man desires to drink long, cooling drinks. In France every town and many villages have their open-air *cafés* where one can sip one's drink and watch the passing world; but our own restaurants are singularly unenterprising in this respect. Indeed, it happens often that for one's cooling drink one must descend to a basement where the air is somewhat second-hand and the sun is replaced by electric light; and thus one loses the charm of the summer drink. Yet the difficulties in the way of such establishments are only surface difficulties. First, perhaps, there is the uncertainty of the weather. That is overcome in Paris by the simple means of an awning, which, of course, serves a double purpose. Next, there is the dust; in Paris the streets are washed daily by hose. The real difficulty is, perhaps, in the matter of initial expense; for the shop-front of the open-air *café* must stand some little distance away from the pavement of the roadway. We are besieged, however, with reconstruction proposals. On every side plans are being put forward for the betterment of Dublin from the artistic and utilitarian points of view. May we not hope that the next builder of a restaurant will consider seriously the possibilities of the open air?

COURT AND PERSONAL.

The Queen of the Netherlands, the Prince Consort and Princess Juliana are making excursions by motor car through the lovely scenery of the Lake districts of Westmorland. The Prince Consort has had some good sport with the Kendal otter hounds, which are being hunted by Sir Maurice Bromley-Wilson this season. The Queen spends a good deal of time out of doors, and has been making water-colour sketches of the scenery between Coniston and Rydal Hall.

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The Duke of York, partnered by Wing Commander Louis Greig, has entered for the R.A.F. doubles championship in the Services' lawn tennis tournament, which is taking place daily this week at the Queen's Club, London. The number of competitors is very large, including thirty-two entries in the Royal Navy singles.

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The Marquis and Marchioness of Tweeddale have returned from Prague, and are making a short stay in London before they go to Scotland. Priscilla Countess Annesley has left London for Germany and will not return till the end of the month. Lord Annaly has arrived in London. The Hon. Mrs. Ronald Greville, who has been entertaining a house party at Polesden Lacy, has returned to London. Lord and Lady Redesdale and the Hon. Nancy Mitford have arrived at Asthall Manor from London.

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Lord and Lady Castletown, who have been spending the past two months in London, are now at Granston Manor, Abbeyleix. Later in the year they will go to Doneraile Court, their place in County Cork. Lord and Lady Oranmore and Browne are now in London. They are closing Castle Macgarrett, County Mayo, for the present and have taken a place in town. Lady Blanche and Lady Katherine Beresford have returned to Curraghmore from London, where they have been spending the past six weeks. Their mother, Lady Osborne Beauclerk, will return shortly to Newton Anner, Clonmel.

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The Countess of Bathurst has lent Bathurst House, her residence in Belgrave square, London, for a sale of the properties of Irish loyalists which will take place to-day, and will include pictures, miniatures, engravings, chins, Waterford glass, furniture, lace and curios. Among the ladies in charge of the stalls will be the Duchess of Portland, the Dowager Marchioness of Dufferin and Ava, the Dowager Marchioness of Linlithgow, the Marchioness of Salisbury, the Countess of Bective, the Countess of Kerry, Lady Henry Bentinck, Lady Mildmay of Flete and Mrs. Lionel Bulteel.

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Lord Tredegar has started on his yacht Sylvana for a long cruise and will not be back in England till the first week in September. Lord Lovat and Lord Claud N. Hamilton are among the passengers on the ss. Montcalm, which has left Liverpool for Quebec. Sir James Broom is returning to Ceylon *via* Canada and Japan, and will leave to-day by the ss. Empress of Britain. Lady and Miss Broom are remaining in England at present, but will join him in Colombo in September.

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The marriage took place yesterday at Holy Trinity Church, Brompton, London, of Captain Simon R. Fane-Spicer, 5th Lancers, and Miss Constance Mary Graham, daughter of Colonel and Mrs. C. Graham, Castle Size, Sallins, Co. Kildare. The bride, who wore cream and gold brocade, with a lace train and long tulle veil, was given away by her father, and was attended by Miss Audrey O'Brien and Miss Cynthia Harlopp, dressed alike in beige lace, with red sashes and wreaths of red leaves. Captain A. Spicer was best man and Prebendary A. W. Gough officiated. After the ceremony the bride's mother held a reception at 14 Lennox Gardens, Ennis by Lady Paget, at which a number of friends were present.

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The marriage arranged between Dr. William Gardc-Browne, The Chestnuts, Warboys, Hunts, son of the late St. George-Garde-Browne, of Coolcower, Co. Cork, and Fitzwilliam square, Dublin, and Georgina Margaret Masters, daughter of Major John Hopkinson Phillips and Mrs. Phillips, Carrigrohane House, Co. Cork, and Parkville, Clonmel, will take place early in September.

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The marriage arranged between Mr. Ivan Howe and Miss Viola Mansergh, 10 Galtrim road, Bray, will take place quietly on Wednesday, August 22nd, at Christ Church, Bray, at half-past two o'clock.

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Dr. D. J. Roantree has returned to Bray.

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Switzer's Summer Sale, this and following days.—Switzer and Co., Ltd., Grafton street.

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Holmes' Sale—Wonderful value in Tennis Frocks and Sports Wear.—60, 70, 71 George's street.

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Madame Renée, Harry street (off Grafton street), is offering New French Models in Gowns, Hats, and Knitted Costumes at her Sale, to-day and following days.

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Mrs. Mercedes D'Alton's Salon, Royal Hibernian Hotel, Dawson street—Special exhibition of French Model Hats, Evening and Afternoon Frocks, Silk and Wool Suits, today (Wednesday) and to-morrow.

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FUTURE OF RAILWAYS.

PROGRESS OF THE GROUPING SCHEME.

STATEMENT IN THE DAIL.

WAITING FOR A VOLUNTARY AGREEMENT.

In the Dail yesterday the chief business was the consideration of the Estimates of the Ministry of Industry and Commerce.

Mr. Whelehan, the Assistant Minister, reviewed the work of the department, and dealt particularly with the question of railway grouping. Provisional arrangements, he said, had been made by two large companies and some smaller companies in the South, and the results so far had surpassed the Ministry's expectations.

The Ministry was prepared to wait for some time to see whether the companies would produce a scheme voluntarily, but it would not wait indefinitely, and, if necessary, compulsion would be used.

When Mr. Whelehan announced that President Cosgrave and Sir James Craig had discussed the railway question in London, and that a further meeting had been arranged, Mr. Davin expressed satisfaction at the news, and said that the solution of the railway problem might lead to the solution of greater problems.

BILLS PASSED.

AMENDMENTS BY THE SENATE.

The Dail yesterday received back from the Senate the Land Law (Commission) Bill and the Army Pensions Bill with certain minor amendments and recommendations. There were two amendments to the Land Law (Commission) Bill, and both were agreed to without discussion.

With regard to the Army Pensions Bill, the Senate recommended that in certain sections the words "for defence" (following Minister) should be deleted. A motion declaring the Dail's agreement with the recommendations was moved by General Mulcahy.

Mr. Johnson warned the House that if there were important and fundamental amendments made by the Senate at any time the Dail should have ample notice of them before they were asked to consider them.

The Minister's motion was passed.

Other amendments and recommendations were also passed.

ELECTORAL ABUSES.

The House then entered on the Committee stage of the Prevention of Electoral Abuses Bill, 1923. An amendment to Section 1. was moved by Mr. Johnson and accepted without a discussion, and the six opening sections of the bill were made part of the measure.

In Section 23, which deals with personation agents, on the taking of a referendum, Mr. Thomas Johnson moved to delete the Section, and to substitute therefor a new Section, as follows:—

"Whenever a referendum is demanded under Section 47 of the Constitution, the Returning Officer in each constituency may appoint personation agents, and agents to attend the counting of the votes in the constituency, in such number as he thinks necessary, and every person so appointed shall enjoy the same rights and privileges and be subject to the same obligations as a person appointed for the like purpose by a candidate at a Dail Election enjoys or is subject to."

Mr. Blythe said that he could not accept the amendment. It was felt that the result of the amendment would be expenditure of money without any return. The Presiding Officer was appointed for the day at a fee, and did not wish to make himself unpopular by drawing attention to things that might happen.

The amendment was declared lost without a division.

The remaining sections were agreed to, and the bill passed through Committee.

RAILWAY GROUPING.

ASSISTANT MINISTER'S STATEMENT.

The House then considered the estimates for public services.

Mr. Blythe moved the vote of £193,445 to complete the estimate for the year 1923 in respect of expenditure connected with the Ministry of Industry and Commerce.

Mr. Whelehan, Assistant Minister of Industry and Commerce, in the course of a lengthy review of the work of the department, referred to the many legislative measures that had been passed through the Dail. With regard to unemployment, he said that they were engaged in investigating the systems of unemployment insurance obtaining in both the old and new worlds to see what system more suitable than the present one it was possible to bring into operation in the country.

An investigation was also in progress to restore the standards and sub-standards of weights and measures lost during the last few years.

In order to assist trade in the country, he went on, they had had, for the first time, statistical and intelligence departments. The second department collected reports from their trade representatives abroad, reports which should be of great service to the industrialists of the country. Simultaneously, details had been obtained from manufacturers as to their capacity for export trade.

With regard to commercial treaties, they had been carefully examined, with a view to safeguarding the Saorstat. Attention had been paid to the coast protection services, to which much damage had been caused during recent years in respect of buildings and equipment. On the East coast 14 stations had been re-established. Similarly, on the South and West coast the work was proceeding, and the entire service would shortly be re-established.

RAILWAYS.

During the past few months attention had been given to the future organisation of the railways, so as to determine the best method of securing a cheap and efficient means of transport in the Saorstat. The problem was a very complicated one, and its conditions in many respects were peculiar to the Saorstat.

The damage to the railways and the general disturbance of trade had caused exceptional difficulties, which necessarily involved delay in examining the problem so as to ensure that the policy ultimately adopted would prove beneficial from every point of view. Considerable progress, however, had been made, progress which had altogether surpassed their expectations at one time.

He might state that two of the larger companies, with some of the smaller companies in the South, had now come to a provisional agreement for amalgamation, which really formed the nucleus of the whole scheme, the details of which were under consideration at the present moment; and, in fact, a conference upon those details was taking place that very day.

The Ministry fully realised the necessity for the re-organisation of the whole railway system within the Saorstat. It had not felt that it would be justified in using compulsion up to the present to bring about any agreement between the parties. In fact, so far the voluntary work of the various companies had been so successful that they felt justified in waiting a little longer for a successful voluntary scheme.

It might be understood, however, that the time which would be afforded for voluntary conclusions to be arrived at by the companies could not be unlimited, and the Government would be bound, in the interests of the whole Saorstat, to take action, if within a reasonable time the companies did not come to conclusions of their own volition.

MAIN PRINCIPLES.

In a short time it would be possible to announce the main principles which it was intended to adopt. At the present moment, as a conference was taking place, he did not think that he should do more than state what he had stated.

Special attention had been given to the repair of damages to the railways, and arrangements had been completed some time ago to enable the companies to carry out repairs with special expedition. Generally speaking, those arrangements had worked most effectively, and where any exceptional difficulties existed they had been overcome. With few exceptions the damaged lines had been restored. He would like to bear cordial testimony to the whole-hearted support which the Ministry had received from the Railway Protection and Maintenance Corps of the National Army. No sooner had the Ministry brought to the notice of that Corps any break in the traffic system than it had the immediate attention of the very able commander of that Corps, and he thought that the House would realise that he was only doing justice in saying that the trade and industry of the country during the past year owed quite a lot to the gallant efforts of the Protection Corps to keep the railway system running.

WORK FOR 12,000.

Continuing his review, Mr. Whelehan said that since last October some 12,000 persons had been placed in employment through the Employment Exchanges and over 100 disputes had been settled.

Proposals for hydro-electrical development on the Liffey had been considered, and suggestions had been made to the persons concerned with their promotion.

Mr. Whelehan mentioned also that conferences had been held with the Dublin Port and Docks Board with a view to finding out the possibilities of the port for Transatlantic traffic.

It had been asked what they proposed to do for the industries of the country. The Contracts Committee set up by the Government had been functioning for some months. The Ministry was not a purchasing department for the Government, but they had on the Contracts Committee two representatives, who had been instructed to see that the interests of Irish industries would be fully considered by the Committee; to see that those interests were fully safeguarded, and, generally, to make a case for Irish industries.

The money value of all contracts placed by the Contracts Committee in the Saorstat from the 1st to 25th March was £130,825, or 85 per cent. of the total. From the 25th March till the 31st May, inclusive, 94.6 per cent. of the contracts, of a money value of £131,609, were placed in the Saorstat; and for the month of June the total value of the contracts placed within the Saorstat by the Contracts Committee was 99.36 per cent., or £43,402.

It would be evident that the policy which he had stated last February, of encouraging industry by spending every possible penny that could be spent economically within the Saorstat, had been consistently pursued. They had on the Contracts Committee people who were more than anxious to do their duty to safeguard Irish industries.

MARKETS ABROAD.

The Intelligence Department which the Government had set up during the past twelve months had been collecting information as to possible markets abroad for their own products. They had been collecting from traders here at home statistics as to their possibilities and output for export trade, and they had placed before the Minister for Finance proposals for the publication of a monthly journal which would supply traders with particulars of foreign markets in which they might successfully market their produce, and which, perhaps, might suggest for consideration methods or processes of manufacture that would make some of the industries in the Saorstat more likely to meet successfully foreign competition.

They hoped to have the sanction of the Minister of Finance for that, and if they obtained sanction the journal would be published at an early date.

The Fiscal Inquiry had been set up to inquire into the whole fiscal system. There was no more important subject for the welfare of the whole nation, and the Government could not rush to hasty decisions on it. It had set up this Fiscal Inquiry to investigate the conditions of Irish industry, so that it might be able to pursue in future an enlightened policy in fiscal matters.

With regard to Irish industries, they had got to realise that if their industries were to be successful in meeting competition from abroad, they should be on an economic basis; and to put them on an economic basis they should have modern methods. Antiquated methods would not do.

During the past six or seven years there had been a veritable revolution in industrial methods, and if their industries were to compete with success against industries from across Channel or the Continent they should reorganise and bring their methods and processes up to date. Then, again, that these industries might be really economical, the management of the industries should be efficient; otherwise they would have blank failure. If they were to have inefficiency of management, or want of organisation, or co-operation, were they going to make the people pay for that inefficiency?

The interest of the Government was wider than the interest of any class; the interest of the Government was that of all the citizens of the State; and it should not saddle the citizens of the State with inefficiency, want of organisation, or antiquated methods; and it would not do so.

RECONSTRUCTION.

The Commission on Reconstruction had been set up, and already a report from the Commission had been received, dealing with road reconstruction. That report had been published. The Commission was still sitting and taking evidence, and would arrange further reports.

The Canal Commission had now almost concluded its work, and the Ministry was awaiting a report from it at an early date.

A Food Prices Commission was set up by the Ministry, and it was hoped that, before the end of the week the report of the Commission would be made to the Ministry. The Ministry would be urged to publish the report in the Press.

Mr. Whelehan explained how the old Ministry of Economic Affairs and the Ministry of Labour were amalgamated, and said that he hoped that it would be agreed that anyone who had come to them, whether from an industrial concern or from the ranks of the industrial consumer employés, had found that he had had attention. There was overlapping in the old days, and amalgamation had made for more rapid attention to matters. There had been considerable economy in staff, in premises, and consequently in rates, and they hoped, also, economy in time.

CRITICISM.

Mr. Milroy said that, assuming that the sum of £41,000 out of the sum of £327,850 devoted to the administration of this Ministry was the sum allocated to matters immediately

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RUHR INDUSTRIES HARD HIT.

THOUSANDS UNEMPLOYED.

FRENCH SEIZE £702,000 ON A BARGE.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

COLOGNE, Tuesday.

The situation at the great Krupp Works at Essen, which employs 54,000 men, is becoming critical, and reports received to-day indicate that less work than ever is being done.

The blasting furnaces at the Martin Works are no longer in operation, owing to the lack of fuel. A similar state of affairs prevails at the works of the Bochum Verein, and it is estimated that an additional 20,000 men are without work in consequence.

The textile industries are particularly hard hit, and a report from a French source states that the greater part of the textile works have been closed.

There is no doubt that the recent decrees have had the effect of stopping all fresh supplies of fuel and raw material, and a complete standstill of industry throughout the Ruhr is only a question of time.

While attempting to cross the occupation frontier, near Vohwinkle, on Saturday night, Joseph Blankenstein, a German merchant, was shot by a French sentry, and died during the night.

The manager of the Reichbank at Limburg is being kept a close prisoner in the bank, as he refused to give up the keys of the strong room.

A sum of 702 milliard marks (£702,000) has been seized by the French on board a barge at Gottenburg. This is the largest seizure of money yet made.

THE BRITISH NOTE.

DR. BENES LEAVING PARIS FOR BRUSSELS.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Tuesday.

More and more responsible public opinion here is looking to Dr. Benes, the Czecho-Slovak Minister to find some way of reconciling the apparently conflicting interests of the Allies.

Dr. Benes, after a further interview with the French Premier to-day, hopes to be in Belgium to-morrow, in order to confer with MM. Jaspar and Thenunis. It is clearly realised that he has no definite mission, and that his first mission is the promotion of the interests of his own State, but, none the less, Dr. Benes is a far-seeing statesman, it is also realised that he may be expected to do all he can to remove some of the more obvious difficulties from the path of agreement.

Europe as a whole would feel the grave results of any break-up of the *Entente*, and Central Europe in particular.

It is from this point of view that Dr. Benes is working. The draft of the British reply to Germany is not expected here before Thursday, and it is taken almost for certain that it will contain phrases of disapproval of the German passive resistance policy.

It is also expected that it will propose the summoning of an International Committee of experts to deal with Germany's capacity for payment.

Every mention of this committee makes the French angry. Unless there is a drastic change in their point of view between now and the receipt of the British proposal, it seems that the Committee of Experts will stand little chance of being considered.

LANCASHIRE PILGRIMS.

LARGE NUMBER LEAVING FOR LOURDES.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

MANCHESTER, Tuesday.

Lancashire has just organised its first county pilgrimage to Lourdes, and the party will be the largest so far to leave England on a visit to the Shrine.

Father G. H. Cobb, Pastor of the Parish of St. Edmund's, Little Hulton, Bolton, has organised the pilgrimage, which will take place this week, when a number of Lancashire towns observe their annual holiday.

The pilgrimage has been arranged to permit any person who could afford £13, which covers every penny of the cost of the journey, to take part. It has also been arranged that one free pilgrim may be taken for every 25 who pay. The healthy are thus providing for the transport of many bedridden invalids from poor homes to the Shrine.

The pilgrims will number about 1,500, but Father Cobb was not in a position to state the proportionate figures of sick and healthy pilgrims.

WESTMINSTER HALL.

KING RE-OPENS HISTORIC LONDON BUILDING.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON, Tuesday.

Closed exactly nine years ago for repairs to its wonderful oak-beamed roof which, it was discovered, was slowly being eaten away by a species of beetle, Westminster Hall was re-opened to-day by the King, who was accompanied by the Queen.

The ceremony was made the occasion for a great gathering of Parliamentarians and their wives, and each side of the red-carpeted avenue down which Their Majesties passed after the opening ceremony was a blaze of colour and animation towards the time of the Royal arrival. Present Ministers and their wives grouped together on the steps on the north-east side, while opposite them stood ex-Ministers and their wives.

The Premier, the Duke of Devonshire, and Colonel Amery settled down together. Opposite them were Mr. and Mrs. Asquith, Sir Hamar Greenwood and Lady Greenwood, Sir A. Mond, Dr. Macnamara, Mr. Henderson and Mr. H. A. L. Fisher, General Seely and others. At the last moment, Mr. Lloyd George, wearing a light grey frock coat suit, and carrying a tall grey hat, accompanied by Mrs. Lloyd George, dashed up the steps and joined his comrades, with whom he talked animatedly.

The King and Queen entered the Great Hall from the south entrance, being received as they descended the steps by Sir John Baird, First Commissioner of Works, and the Home Secretary. The Queen wore a beautiful cream frock and toque.

Sir John Baird's address outlined the history of the Hall and the restoration work.

The King, in reply, said:—"It is with the utmost pleasure that the Queen and I are here to-day to celebrate the re-opening of Westminster Hall on the completion of the restoration of this noble, world-famed roof, erected five centuries ago.

"Westminster Hall appeals in special manner to the mind and imagination of the whole English-speaking race. For centuries it has witnessed the growth of the Constitution, and has been, as it were, the link between Crown and the people. In far-off days it was the Great Hall of the King's Palace, and more recently the seat of the highest Law Courts of the Kingdom. So during the eight years that it was closed we seem temporarily to have lost a priceless treasure of our national life.

"In common with all lovers of ancient and historic buildings, I wish to express my warm thanks and congratulations to the Ancient Monuments Board, Director of Works and his staff, and all of the workmen engaged on the restoration, for their skill and untiring devoted labours which have co-operated towards so successful an achievement."

The King was presented with a large box, made from timber and metal taken from the old roof, after which he received the architect, some of his assistants, and some of the workmen who had been engaged on the long task. Having shaken hands with Ministers and ex-Ministers and their wives, Their Majesties passed between the ranks of assembled members and their wives, and passed out through the north door.

The Hall will now be thrown open to the public from 10 a.m. to 2.30 p.m., except Fridays.

During the heat wave in Holland, which lasted for about a fortnight, 150 persons died owing to the heat, and seventy people were drowned while bathing.

LONDON MEETING.

PRESIDENT AND SIR JAMES CRAIG.

RAILWAY PROBLEM.

"FURTHER CONFERENCE AT A LATER DATE."

The High Commissioner of the Irish Free State in London issued the following last night:—

President Cosgrave and Sir James Craig met in London this afternoon by mutual agreement for the purpose of discussing the question of railway transport as it affects their respective Governments. It was decided to hold a further conference at a later date.

A VISIT TO THE NORTH.

The *Belfast Telegraph* states that on inquiry at the Free State Government offices, it was learned that Mr. Cosgrave will be in the North shortly on official business, and it is quite possible that he may meet Sir James Craig, but the suggestion of any connection with boundary matters is devoid of foundation.

THE ROYAL HIBERNIAN MILITARY SCHOOL.

INTERESTING FUNCTIONS AT SHORNCLIFFE.

The Royal Hibernian Military School, which was transferred from Dublin to Shorncliffe Camp when the British troops were withdrawn from Ireland, held two important functions yesterday.

In the morning the trooping of the Colour took place, with its impressive ceremonial, the salute being taken by General Sir George F. Milne, Commander-in-Chief, Eastern Command.

In the afternoon General Sir George F. Milne presented the prizes to the lads who won them at the recent sports.

Colonel A. M. Best, Commandant of the School, in asking General Milne to present the prizes, referred to the circumstances in which the school was transferred to England, and said that they did not know what the future of the school would be, but it was an ominous sign that, whereas they passed the usual number of boys annually into the Army, they were not receiving any new boys. They could only hope that some miracle would, even at the eleventh hour, occur to save the school from disbandment.

Sir George Milne said that he was gratified to be present to assist them in celebrating the 158th anniversary of the school. It must be a source of pride to them all to feel that they belonged to a foundation with such a long and distinguished history. He could assure them that they were looked upon as comrades, but as comrades with all of them in His Majesty's Army. It was beyond his power to prophesy what the future of the school would be, but whatever it might be, nothing could take away from Old Hibernians the pride and affection which they had for their old nursery.

TOO MANY IMMIGRANTS

ARRANGEMENT TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT.

NEW YORK, Tuesday.

Mr. Curran, the New York Immigration Officer, will to-morrow submit to Mr. Husband, Chief Immigration Commissioner, who is coming from Washington, a plan that he has devised for preventing the congestion of immigrants in American ports and for obviating disappointment to the thousands who have to be turned back every month, says Reuter's New York Correspondent, telegraphing yesterday.

Mr. Curran proposes an agreement under which steamship companies shall telegraph from Europe the number and nationality of the passengers that they are taking to America. The Immigration Commissioners here will notify the companies whether the proposed immigrants are within the allotment. They will then reserve that number against the lawful quota so as to ensure the admission of qualified immigrants.

Mr. Joseph Mayps, representing the Transatlantic lines, approves of the plan and will lay it before the Immigration Committee of the Steamship Conference.

Mr. Curran's announcement follows the arrival of nearly five hundred British subjects, who will be deported unless they can prove that they are tourists.—(Reuter.)

BUSINESS VISAS.

SPECIAL FACILITIES FOR THE MOSCOW EXHIBITION.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

RIGA, Tuesday.

In order to facilitate the entry into Russia of business men wishing to visit the Moscow Exhibition, which opens on August 15th, the Soviet Legation announces that special visas will be granted to merchants if their credentials satisfy both the Legation and the Soviet Delegation here.

Previously would-be visitors were compelled to fill in a lenghty questionnaire, and wait for a fortnight at Riga or Berlin before receiving a decision.

The Legation announces that the number of available lodgings for foreigners is small.

BRITAIN'S STRAIGHT DEALING.

PIETERMARITZBURG, Tuesday.

In a striking reference to Mr. Baldwin's decision regarding the British debt to the United States, General Smuts to-day said that everyone was saying that no one else was paying and why should we pay; but Mr. Baldwin, as a straight and true Englishman, said: "We shall pay for our honour, and we shall pay because it is the British way to do it."—(Reuter.)

£10,000 COLOURED DIAMOND.

KIMBERLEY (By Mail).

A diamond, stated to be the largest of its kind ever found, has been recovered by the De Beers Company from the Wesselton mine. The stone weighs twenty and three-quarter carats, is of irregular shape, and is valued at anything up to £10,000, because of its rarity of colour, a rich brandy shade.—(Reuter.)

The Cullinan diamond, found in 1905, weighs 3,025 carats; the Koh-i-Noor is an Indian stone in the Crown jewels. It weighed originally 280 carats, but has been reduced by cutting. These stones are colourless, however.)

CZECHO-SLOVAKIA AND FRANCE.

PARIS, Tuesday.

Dr. Benes, the Czecho-Slovak Foreign Minister, who saw M. Poincaré to-day, told a Press representative that he had reached an agreement with France on a number of outstanding questions.—(Reuter.)

PALESTINE NEGOTIATIONS.

ALEXANDRIA, Tuesday.

Lord Allenby is leaving here on Friday for London, where he is expected to arrive on Tuesday night. The Palestinian Arab delegation, headed by Musa Pasha Kazim, leaves Alexandria for London to-day.—(Reuter.)

RUSSIAN GRAIN EXPORTS.

RIGA, Tuesday.

According to the Moscow *Isvestia*, preparations have been made at the ports of Odessa, Nikolaieff, and Kherson for the export of grain.—(Reuter.)

PRACTICAL WAR MEMORIAL.

SEAMEN'S INSTITUTE AT DUNKIRK.

BUILDINGS OPENED BY PRINCESS ALICE.

DUNKIRK, Tuesday.

Princess Alice, Countess of Athlone, opened the War Memorial Buildings here to-day. The Memorial is in the form of a Merchant Service Club and Seamen's Institute on the quay. The buildings include a memorial court and cloister, with officers' club and seamen's recreation room. There is also a memorial chapel and quarters for a resident chaplain. The administration of the Trust will be handed over to the Missions to Seamen now that the War Memorial Committee has completed its work.

Princess Alice and the Earl of Athlone received a great ovation. Princess Alice formally opened the entrance doors of the Memorial Buildings, and, after the Bishop of the Falkland Islands had dedicated the Memorial Chapel, the Earl of Athlone unveiled in the cloisters a tablet to the undying memory of British seamen who served their country in the Great War.

The Bishop referred to the historical site on which the buildings stood and the fact that in the British Consul's room forming part of the buildings Lord Kitchener, M. Cambon, Marshal Joffre, and the French President held a hurried Council of War on November 1, 1914. At this meeting Lord Kitchener predicted accurately that the war would last three years and that the British Force would reach its highest power in the summer of 1917.

Dunkirk people suffered more, perhaps, during the war than those on any front. The heroic quality of the seamen's service was particularly outstanding, and the Merchant Service Club and Seamen's Institute would in future generations preserve the memory of the heroes gone before. There was an endorsement of 17,000 francs for annual maintenance. The memorial would be handed over to the Missions to Seamen, who would carry on the trust with that devotion to duty which characterised those whom the memorial commemorated.

Princess Alice, in declaring the buildings open, said:—"We commemorate to-day the gallant memories of the past shared with the brave French people, and it is with grateful hearts that we meet in an atmosphere of calm and goodwill at this memorial, which brings to mind the words written over the gateway of one of the old-world cities of the past, which read, 'Wide open are the gates of this city, but more widely open are the hearts of its people'—a gracious and generous message—and, in the firm belief that our brave services, Navy, Army, and Air Forces, will always find room in this building the same open gate and the same open heart, I declare open the Dunkirk War Memorial to the memory of British seamen of the past and for the use of our services in the future.—(Reuter.)

THE FARM STRIKE.

TWO CASES OF INCENDIARISM.

The Waterford farm strike has again assumed a serious aspect. Cases of incendiarism are reported from Passage East, and Tramore area. In the former case an official report indicates that the fire was extensive.

On Monday night, half an hour after curfew, Mr. J. Stephenson, of Ballykinsella, Tramore, was aroused by the smell of burning. Investigation showed that a range of out-offices adjoining the dwellinghouse was on fire. The low thatched roof of the dairy was first observed burning, and immediately afterwards the hay barn was seen to be enveloped.

The barn, a modern structure, ninety feet long, was completely destroyed, with ten tons of old meadow hay and several farming implements.

This is the second time that Mr. Stephenson has been the victim of an outrage. At the beginning of the strike 12 tons of straw were destroyed on his premises. This is the sixteenth case of burning that has occurred in the Tramore area.

MERRY-GO-ROUND RIOT.

SHOOTING FOLLOWS ATTEMPT TO STEAL RIDE.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

JOHANNESBURG, Tuesday.

At Worcester, Cape Colony, to-day, a merry-go-round attendant intervened to prevent a man stealing a ride. The crowd, composed mainly of coloured people, started to throw stones, and the attendant was severely injured. To oversee the crowd shots from a saloon rifle were fired into the air. This had no effect, and shots were then fired into the crowd, with the result that a youth was killed and six other persons injured. A European has been arrested and charged with wilful murder.

BIG DEAL RUMOURED.

REPORTED SALE OF LARGE COTTON MILL.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

MANCHESTER, Tuesday.

Rumours are afloat in Manchester to-day of another big cotton mill deal. It is reported that negotiations are taking place for the purchase of the business of Burgess, Ledward, and Co., Ltd., which firm owns the Wardley Mill, Walkden, near Manchester, containing 1,800 looms, along with an extensive plant for mercerising, bleaching, and dyeing.

The firm, which has warehouses in Manchester, London, Glasgow, and Bradford, is a private company, and, according to the latest information available, the subscribed capital is £387,950 in £1 shares. It is stated that the probable purchasers are Crosses and Winkworth Consolidated Mills, but this statement has not so far been confirmed.

COMMEMORATION CEREMONIES.

The Free State Government Publicity Department issues the following:—

"The first anniversary of the death of Arthur Griffith and General Michael Collins occurs on the 12th and 22nd of August, and arrangements are being made by a Government Committee for suitable commemoration. Members of the Dail and Senate, representatives of local public bodies, and others will be invited to be present at the ceremonies in Dublin. Full details will be available later."

NO CARPENTIER-SIKI MATCH.

PARIS, Tuesday.

Some time ago the French Boxing Federation ordered Carpentier and Battling Siki to sign before July 16 the articles for their proposed match on September 16, the receipts from which were to be devoted to French laboratories. At the appointed hour, however, Siki failed to reply, and Carpentier's manager spoke of postponing the match to a later date in view of Carpentier's meeting with Beckett in September. As neither of the boxers has obeyed the order of the Federation, the match will not take place.—(Reuter.)

RUSSIAN PRISONERS RELEASED.

RIGA, Tuesday.

The Special Commission recently appointed by the All-Russian Central Executive Committee has released from Moscow 219 prisoners. Of these 326 have been banished to remote provinces and forbidden return to Moscow.—(Reuter.)

HOLY CARPET NOT GOING TO MECCA.

ALEXANDRIA, Tuesday.

The Holy Carpet, whose return from Jeddah was ordered by the Egyptian Government, in consequence of a dispute with the King of the Hedjaz, has arrived back at Suez.—(Reuter.)

DOCKS DISPUTE.

MINISTRY TAKES ACTION.

IN TOUCH WITH BOTH PARTIES.

CASE FOR SILENCE.

Yesterday brought no change in the dispute which has dislocated the trade of all the ports in the Free State.

The Dublin quays on both sides of the river below Butt Bridge remained virtually deserted.

The chartered steamer Hawthorn continued to discharge her cargo of provisions, the men receiving the old rates. The Cato took in a general cargo to sail to-night for Bristol. The London, Midland and Scottish Company's steamer Slieve Gallion sailed for Holyhead empty on Monday night, leaving only one of the company's boats tied up at the North Wall. The Burns-Laird Line steamer Pointer sailed with holiday-makers for Glasgow, and is not expected to come back to the Liffey until the end of the trouble. Four of the British and Irish Company's steamers are tied up at their berths. The Dublin and Silloth boat Yarrow is on the Silloth-Douglas trade.

There was an extension of the trouble yesterday morning, when the checkers employed in the sheds of the Burns-Laird Line and those of the British and Irish Company were called out by the Strike Committee. Their withdrawal means that goods can be removed from the sheds only with difficulty. Fortunately, there is not much merchandise left in the hands of either company. The sheds staff of the London, Midland and Scottish Company is not so far affected, as the men are members of the National Union of Railwaymen. There were ominous rumours last evening that, should the strike continue, the railwaymen might become involved.

FOOD SUPPLIES.

There is no immediate fear for the food supplies of the city. There are exceptionally large stocks of all sorts of provisions on hand, and, even should the trouble last a month, there will be no necessity to call on the other sources of supply through Northern ports.

There is a general feeling abroad that it will be a long strike; but, on the other hand, there are not a few who anticipate an early collapse or the taking of the preliminary steps for a settlement. The situation, which is delicate in the extreme, is being followed closely by the Ministry of Industry and Commerce.

The greatest difficulty of the situation arises from the divided counsels of the Transport Workers' Union. The organisation recognises the dockers' strike officially, but that of the seamen and firemen is not recognised, and no strike pay was given them last week.

An *Irish Times* man, who spent hours on the quays yesterday, had many opportunities of hearing the opinions of the men. In general, there is no enthusiasm for the dispute, and even the most casual observer could see that it is not a popular suspension of work among those who are most directly concerned.

A DOCKER'S COMPLAINT.

"We may blame the seamen and firemen for all this," said one of the men. "Only 40 per cent. of the seagoing men of Dublin are in the Transport Union, and they wanted to 'boss' the quays. I don't want to spend the best part of my life on strike. I am 'fed up.'"

The seamen, whose action in demanding that only members of the Transport Workers' Union should be employed on vessels moored in the Liffey, was the beginning of the upheaval, are coming in for a lot of criticism from the other men now idle. The leaders, too, are criticised on the ground that the men do not know exactly where they are. They cannot understand official and non-official disputes, and the position which is a combination of both.

As to the number of men actually out of work because of the dispute, a member of the union stated yesterday that there are not more than 1,000. Furthermore, there are 3,000 engaged in discharging coal-boats in the yards and along the quays generally. Should the latter be drawn into the dispute workers in factories and other city industries, totalling anything up to 15,000, would be out of employment in a few weeks. He was hopeful that this would not happen.

STATEMENT IN DAIL.

MINISTRY'S EFFORTS FOR PEACE.

During the discussion of the Estimates of the Ministry of Industry and Commerce in the Dail yesterday, Mr. Derrell Figgis said that the dock strike was holding up the entire life of the country, and it was due to the House, and through the House to the country, that the Assistant Minister should say what steps were being taken to bring the dispute to an end. The salient facts should be put before the House in a way in which they had not yet been presented by the public Press.

A statement had been made in the Press that there was a limited amount of vital food stuffs in the City of Dublin. One would like to know what attention had been given to the question.

Mr. Whelehan said that no doubt the Deputy had the interests of the community at heart, and was anxious to see the great dock dispute settled, as they all were. The Ministry had all day been engaged in connection with the matter. They had been engaged on it early that morning, and they had been constantly in touch with both parties to the dispute.

He did not think, however, that any full statement from him was going to be in any degree helpful towards bringing about a satisfactory settlement of the dispute.

"LOCK-OUT."

Mr. Johnson said that it had been generally circulated that this was a strike. It was not a strike. The fact was that there was a large number of men employed, and on a given day the employers said that the workers should not work any more until they took other terms. That certainly was a lock-out.

"In a matter of this kind," declared Mr. Johnson, "which will, perhaps, assume very big proportions, it is essential that there should be some clarity of thinking. The men have been locked-out because they would not accept lower wages."

Mr. Whelehan said that he had not used the word "strike."

Mr. Figgis said that he would substitute the word dispute for "strike."

SITUATION AT CORK.

There was no change in the situation created by the docks dispute in Cork yesterday. About 1,000 men are idle, and shipping traffic to a great extent is suspended. The Clyde Shipping Company's steamer, Lizard, which arrived on Sunday with a cargo of girders for the new Mallow Railway Bridge, was taken charge of by military. If this line of action had not been taken it would have meant a stoppage in the rebuilding of the bridge.

The stores staffs of the City of Cork Steam Packet Company, who are members of the same union, have gone out, but the clerical staff is at work as usual. The Steam Packet Company's s. Moorfowl, which arrived on Sunday morning, with passengers and cargo, left last evening at the usual hour, taking back her cargo, which could not be discharged.

POWER STATION FIRE.

TRAMS DERELICT AND WORKS IDLE.

JOHANNESBURG, Tuesday.

As a result of a disastrous fire which occurred in the Electric Power Station here this morning, the whole power supply is cut off. The trams are left standing in various parts of the town and suburbs, and industrial services which are dependent on the municipal power station for their electricity supply have been brought to a standstill. It is hoped that a fair amount of power will be available by the evening for lighting and a modified tramway service.—(Reuter.)

NEAR EAST PEACE IN SIGHT.

AGREEMENT ON ALL MAJOR ISSUES.

TREATY TO BE SIGNED NEXT WEEK.

LAUSANNE, Tuesday.

The Peace Conference met to-night in plenary session and confirmed all the agreements reached between the Allies and the Turks. It fixed Tuesday, July 24, as the date for signing the Peace Treaty.

In these new agreements priority rights in the matter of the concessions have been replaced by equality of treatment in the case of the *Regie Générale* of the Railways and the Vickers-Armstrong concession, while as regards the Turkish Petroleum Company the Turks rejected various formulæ, whereupon Sir Horace Rumbold declared that he would submit a statement to a formal meeting of the Conference at five o'clock this afternoon.

As regards the naval evacuation, each of the three inviting Powers will retain one cruiser and two destroyers pending the ratification of the Straits Convention, with the right of passage through the Straits up to December 31, 1923, in the event of the Treaty still being unratified at that date.—(Reuter.)

TO-DAY'S LONDON PAPERS.

PEACE PROSPECTS AT LAUSANNE.

TURKEY'S POLICY OF SELF-ISOLATION.

"THE TIMES" OF TO-DAY SAYS:—

That unique Assembly, the Lausanne Conference, appears at last to be drawing near to its end. Early yesterday morning—exactly a week to the very hour since Ismet Pasha came out of the Conference room and declared that an agreement had been reached on all outstanding points—another long wrestle between the Allied delegates and the Turks was concluded, and again the assurance was given that agreement had been attained and peace was certain. It is to be hoped that there will be no necessity to repeat yet again this strange midnight ritual.

Whether peace comes within a few days or within a few weeks, its general character is already clear. A new form of relationship has grown up between the West and Turkey. Turkey insists on her complete and sovereign independence; she proposes to walk alone—so absolutely alone that she will barely recognise as a fact the inevitable interdependence of all modern nations.

The world will have to recognise the very chastening lessons that the Treaty contains. Even to get such a Treaty has been an immense labour. Sound politics on such a situation means taking the Turks as they are and as they have become.

We may regret the past; but we cannot recall it. After all, many of the aspirations of the Turkish Nationalists are by no means ignoble. They have been stirred by the impulses of the West; and, if they show initiative and want to do themselves in their own way, and for their own nation, what they formerly allowed others to do, they will make a thousand mistakes. They will do a great deal of damage; but they may learn the lesson.

They reject outside assistance now. The time may come when they will clamour for it. There is need to be patient in the interval and to be prepared to give aid when it is required, wisely, and not without hope.

BRITAIN'S NOTE.

FRANCE'S MIND OPEN.

The Times Parliamentary Correspondent writes:—The text of the draft reply to the German Note and the covering letter which is to be sent to the Allies and to the United States is not likely to be made public—from this country, at any rate—until it has been considered by the Allies. When announcing the Government's policy last week the Prime Minister suggested that the second reading of the Consolidated Fund Bill would afford a convenient opportunity for a general discussion on the position. It is hoped to get the second reading on Wednesday and Thursday of next week, but it is hardly likely that the replies of all the Governments to whom the draft Note may have been communicated will have been received by that time.

The Times Paris Correspondent states in a message received last night:—France is awaiting the draft of the British reply to Germany. In spite of M. Poincaré's mordant statement of French views, it is the intention of the French Government to approach the British statement with as open a mind as possible. It would be wrong to hold out great hopes, but it would be equally wrong to suppose that the British efforts will be wasted, and that they will not in any way influence French policy.

RHINELAND COUP FEARED.

BELIEF IN FRENCH-AIDED PLOTS

There is still a strong belief, telegraphed *The Times* Berlin Correspondent last night, that the French hope to bring off a *coup d'état* in the Rhineland, while the occupied territories are still isolated from the rest of Germany, and establish a separate Republic.

It was first believed that this was to happen on July 15. The reinforcements of the French gendarmerie and a fresh outburst of separatist propaganda in the form of posters and pamphlets which began about a fortnight ago were regarded as symptomatic. It is supposed that this plan was given up owing to a split in the separatist group headed by Herr Smeets, but the prolongation of the suspension of traffic into Germany is regarded as showing that the French mean to push their plan through with very little delay.

The *Rote Fahne*, which is believed to be well informed as to the separatist plans, states that the date for proclaiming the Rhineland Republic was fixed first for the 14th, then for the 17th, and then again postponed in order to give time for the different separatist groups to amalgamate and to co-ordinate their plans with those of the French and Belgian Governments.

The *Rote Fahne* declares that a large supply of arms taken from Germans has been placed at the disposal of the separatists by the French in order to make it look as if it were a purely German movement.

CONCESSION TO HOSPITALS.

The Free State Government Publicity Department issues the following:—

The Revenue Commissioners have issued a notice to public hospitals stating that they are now prepared to consider applications on behalf of public hospitals for them to receive, without payment of duty, chloroform or sulphuric ether for use for medical or surgical purposes. The granting of such authority will be subject to compliance with conditions laid down by the Commissioners. Applications to the Revenue Commissioners, through the local

"NO RESPECTER OF PERSONS."

LORD ALFRED DOUGLAS'S SUIT FOR LIBEL.

BRITISH STATESMEN MENTIONED.

"I am no respecter of persons," declared Lord Alfred Douglas in the course of cross-examination in the London King's Bench Division yesterday, in reply to a question by Mr. Patrick Hastings, K.C., as to whether Lord Alfred thought it gentlemanly to make certain statements he had made in connection with Lord Balfour and Mr. Winston Churchill.

Lord Alfred Douglas is plaintiff in a libel action against the *Morning Post*, the hearing of which commenced yesterday. The alleged libel is a statement published in the *Morning Post* to the effect that it must no longer be a paying proposition to men like Mr. T. W. H. Crossland and Lord Alfred Douglas to invent vile insults against the Jews. The defendants pleaded that the words were true and were fair comment.

Mr. Comyns Carr, for the plaintiff, said that the issues in the case were political and, to a certain extent, religious. The *Morning Post* devoted much space to attacks upon the activities of a large section of the Jewish race. Lord Alfred Douglas, who was a devoted Roman Catholic, held even stronger views than those of the *Morning Post* on the question. Last year the *Morning Post* attacked the Bolsheviks over the Genoa Conference, the article containing an attack on the Jews, which was taken up by the *Jewish Guardian*. It was in the reply by the *Jewish Guardian* that the words complained of appeared. A letter from the *Jewish Guardian*, which was published by the *Morning Post*, stated that the *Jewish Guardian's* attack should not be taken as intended for the *Morning Post*. The *Morning Post* accepted this explanation, and left it that the attack was meant for the plaintiff.

THE REAL ISSUE.

The real issue in the case would be whether the plaintiff did invent these statements. The defendants had supported their plea with extracts from *Plain English*, which plaintiff edited, but some of the articles were written by a Russian General. A number of people believed there was a Jewish conspiracy to the establish the Jews by running Christian civilisation through revolution.

Other matters alluded to in the plea of justification were the Battle of Jutland and the death of Lord Kitchener. The plaintiff had published a statement to the effect that the key to the German wireless code was discovered before the Jutland battle began, and that this revealed that Germany was in communication with some powerful individual in the Admiralty, which accounted for the escape of the German Fleet. The plaintiff also published the statement that, as the result of the first report of the Jutland battle, a group of Jews cleared £18,000,000, and that the Cabinet Minister who drew up the report had spent the week-end with Sir Ernest Cassel.

PLAINTIFF CROSS-EXAMINED.

Under cross-examination, plaintiff said that he was not in the least ashamed of the letter he wrote to Lord Justice Bankes accusing him of unfairness in the Jutland revelations case, and said that he considered the Judge deliberately tried to prejudice his case in the interests of "Balfour and Churchill, the people whom you consider as archangels." Lord Alfred adhered to the statement that there was a powerful individual at the Admiralty in league with the Germans at the Battle of Jutland. Declining to give the name, he said that he was in charge of the wireless.

Mr. Hastings appealed to his Lordship to order the witness to disclose the name, but Mr. Justice Shearman declined to interfere.

Plaintiff said that the man he was referring to as having drawn up and issued a false report of the Battle of Jutland was Mr. Winston Churchill. He knew Lord Balfour claimed sole authorship for the report, but witness did not believe it.

Asked whether he suggested that Mr. Churchill was financially indebted to the Jews, Lord Alfred replied in the affirmative, and added that dozens of people could corroborate him, but they were afraid to do so. He said that Alfred Fripp had told him that Sir Ernest Cassel had given Mr. Churchill £40,000 in one cheque.

The hearing was adjourned. Sir Harold Smith watched the case on behalf of Mr. Churchill, and Sir Ernest Pollock for the executors of the late Sir Ernest Cassel. The Crown also held a watching brief.

BRILLIANT ARTISTES.

INTERNATIONAL TALENT AT DUBLIN CONCERTS.

The concerts advertised in our columns today to take place in the Mansion House, Dublin, on the 13th and 16th of August, promise to be nothing short of a great feast of music, to which the most famous and international artistes will contribute. Miss Renee Chemet, the celebrated violinist, considered by many to be the equal of Kreisler; Miss Dorothy Phillips, principal soprano from the Opera House, Italy; Lauritz Melchior, the eminent operatic tenor, who has already established himself in the favour of the Dublin public, are typical of the artistes engaged.

Mr. Frank Titterton, who has made a great name for himself in London, will make his first appearance in Dublin. Mr. John Amadio, flautist, whose playing when he accompanied Madam Tettrazini at her last concert in Dublin was so much admired, is also coming, as well as Mr. Walter McNally, the Irish baritone, fresh from his many triumphs in Italy.

Booking may be effected by post during this week only, through Messrs. Pigott's, Grafton street, Dublin.

The management of these concerts is in the capable hands of Mr. J. C. Rock, whose successful enterprise with the Mater Orchestral Concerts, the visit of the famous Vatican Choir, and many other musical treats is well known to the Dublin public.

ULSTER PAVILION.

NORTHERN IRELAND AND EMPIRE EXHIBITION.

Many Belfast and North of Ireland manufacturers are booking space at the British Empire Exhibition, which will be opened at Wembley Park, London, in April next. The Northern Ministry of Commerce has decided to erect an Ulster Pavilion in the Palace of Industry—one of the main halls devoted to exhibits of the United Kingdom—and as excellent site, of an area of 7,137 square feet, has been secured at the junction of the two main avenues.

The Ulster Pavilion will contain exhibits illustrative of the resources and industrial activities of Northern Ireland, whose prominent industries will naturally be given pride of place. It is felt that the Exhibition will afford a splendid opportunity of showing to a vast public the less known but growing industries, and other aspects of the social organisation of Northern Ireland.

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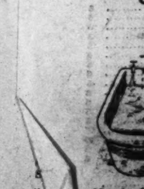

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FREE STATE PARLIAMENT.

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concerning the industry and commerce of the country, it seemed to him that the £41,000 was too small a sum to devote to a matter of such extraordinary importance. He hoped that a mistaken economy was not being pursued. He hoped that it was not considered a wise thing to spend vast amounts in trying to settle labour disputes while they neglected to try to develop those things which would enhance the commercial stability of the country, and produce remunerative employment for the workers. He thought that the interests of the community would be better served if they had separate Ministries for Labour, Trade, and Commerce, and that the Labour Department should look after questions of the hours, conditions, and remuneration of Labour and the settlement of disputes.

Mr. Figgis said that he congratulated the Assistant Minister upon the care with which he had dealt with the various branches included in these estimates.

He drew attention to the item of £5,263, which, he pointed out, included the Minister's salary. It was unfortunate that that Minister had not been seen in that House for a good many months. He was aware that the Minister was taken up with other duties, but it was not a satisfactory state of affairs, and was a matter which should receive attention.

Mr. Whelehan said that he thought that he should say straight away that at times in the life of every nation there were vital matters, even more vital than the industry and commerce of the nation, and no man had done greater service to the nation than the Minister to whom the deputy had referred. In the discharge of very vital services to the nation he had been absent from the House, and he (Mr. Whelehan) thought that it was even beneath Deputy Figgis to refer to his absence.

Mr. Figgis said that he had already stated that the Minister had devoted his time to other important matters. If a more important set of duties demanded his attention, then some other person should be found to undertake the duties that belonged to that department.

Mr. MacBride asked if the Minister would make some statement outlining the Government's policy for encouraging shipowners.

THE LABOUR VIEW.

Mr. Johnson said that it was desirable that the Ministry of Industry and Commerce should also be responsible for matters arising out of industry and commerce, and disputes between capital and labour.

It would be well, he said, to clear up the question raised by Deputy Figgis. There was no Assistant Minister so far as the Dail was concerned, and certainly there was no salary attached to that office. He did not think it was right to take services from Deputy Whelehan without the payment of a salary, unless it was quite openly and clearly stated that these were voluntary services.

In the statement they had heard from the Assistant Minister there had been no outline of policy, except in regard to one or two items. It was very much to be desired, and very necessary to know, what was the mind of the Ministry as regards trade marks and designs.

He had heard, on what authority he did not know, that a clever, ingenious person might be able on no extraordinary level to look upon the whole position in regard to patents. It would be interesting to know whether the Ministry was going to continue the English law with regard to patents and trade marks. Had the Ministry made up its mind to continue the English law, which had been given by the British and North of Ireland Governments?

Mr. Johnson said that they had not got much information regarding the railways. What they wanted to know was, if the companies were coming to an arrangement, was it such an arrangement as would be sanctioned by the Ministry. They had no indication as to what limitations would be put upon the railways, and what line of policy would be approved. It was not fair to the railways to allow them to proceed with the making of agreements without having indicated some of the lines on which such agreement might be made and would be acceptable to the Saorstat.

Had companies been getting that guarantee? They had not heard from the Ministry what its intention was regarding railway amalgamation.

STATISTICS.

Mr. Davin, in drawing attention to the item, £15,879, in respect of the Statistical Department, said that he would like to know when that Department had been established. He supposed that the Department was working on the information supplied on the forms that come in from exporters. He thought that a certain amount of propaganda was necessary to educate exporters as to the necessity of supplying the particular class of information required. Mr. Davin was referring further to the statement made on the railways, when

Mr. Whelehan interjected—"As the railways are being discussed on the general vote, might I say that this very day the President has had a meeting with Sir James Craig in London, and the railway question has been discussed thereat, and a further meeting is to be arranged to continue the discussion? I think it is only fair that deputies should know that."

Mr. Davin said that he was glad to hear that, because he had always felt that the solution of the "railway question" would be the solution they all looked forward to of the other and bigger question. He thought that the Ministry would agree that the railways had got a certain time in which to come to an agreement if they had any desire to do so.

In January last three months had been allowed the companies to reach an agreement. That time had passed. In his opinion a definite limit should now be fixed, and, failing an agreement in that time, the Government should take their courage in their hands and put their own policy into operation.

He also thought with regard to amalgamation that before any legislation was introduced an opportunity should be given to the House to hear the main principles of the scheme referred to the Ministry, with the purpose of having a full and free discussion on them.

Reference had been made to the fact that a considerable number of redundants existed, but he hoped that the case of the redundant men would not be lost sight of in that connection.

SATISFIED.

Mr. Sears said that the House should be well satisfied with the clear and business-like statement that came from the Ministry.

Mr. Johnson sought some more information regarding the work on the Contracts Committee and the attention given to Irish industrial interests. He hoped that they would within a few weeks have the Department's Journal on Industries and Commerce, but he had his doubts. He wanted to know if 10,000 men would be employed within the next two months on road reconstruction, and if the Ministry was going to honour the promise of its Minister, and to make effective the report of the Commission as regards road work.

Mr. Milroy endorsed Mr. Johnson's remarks about road reconstruction. He hoped that the reports would not be pigeon-holed.

Alderman Corish referred to the high rates charged for railway traffic, into which he suggested an inquiry, and also the necessity for improving the roads in the Saorstat.

Replying to points raised, Mr. Whelehan said that as regards the fiscal question, it was the Fiscal Commission that was waiting on the manufacturers, and not the manufacturers on the Fiscal Commission. He understood that all purchases made since the 1st of March last—for which period only he had figures—had been made by the Government Contracts Committee. The Local Government Purchasing Department, the Army Department, the Education Departments, the Post Office and the Stationary Office, all had representatives on the Contracts Committee, and all their purchases were made through the Contracts Committee.

As regards reconstruction of roads, the amount of work which could be made in reconstruction from any source would depend exactly on the finances available for the State to carry out the work.

As regards railway amalgamation, the Minister said that the principles upon which these agreements would run were the principles enunciated by the Minister in his speech last December. The Government had no control over railway rates at present. They did not think it necessary to set up a Commission on railway freights, as the reorganisation of railways would include the regulation of freights.

In regard to the Statistics Department referred to by Deputy Davin, he thought it well that traders should not be pressed too hard in the matter of returns until the new customs regulations were working smoothly and quite efficiently.

The expense of £2,550 for coast-watching services included life preservation work, and maintenance of life-saving apparatus, and the organisation of volunteer services would be helpful to expedite matters.

A COMPLAINT.

The votes for the several branches of the Ministry were then taken separately, and in that for Establishment, Mr. Johnson referred to a complaint against an officer in the employment section. He said that persons applying for insurance benefit had it suggested to them that there was employment to be had in England or Belfast or other places in Ireland. The benefit was not made on condition of accepting these offers, but the suggestion was made sufficiently strongly that if employment was offered in England they were bound to take it or lose their right to unemployment insurance. He knew that was not the policy of the Ministry or the Department.

Mr. Whelehan said that he would have inquiries made into the matter.

In reply to Mr. Figgis, the Assistant Minister said that the "Irish Lights" were not yet transferred to the Saorstat. A bill on the subject of an Irish trade flag was at present with the Law Officers for consideration.

Mr. Davin complained of the importation of railway engines and wagons when works were available in Ireland for their manufacture and suitable workmen were unemployed.

Mr. Whelehan said that they had no power in the ordinary course to compel the companies to buy here, there, or anywhere else. They had been in communication with the companies and it had been agreed that where rolling stock was being replaced through compensation payments they would consult the Ministry before placing orders for such stock.

Mr. Davin said that it was not a question of consulting, but of carrying out an undertaking given by the President.

Mr. Whelehan said that everything possible would be done to assist in seeing that the undertaking was carried out.

TRADE BOARDS.

Mr. Johnson said that there were some indications of a change as regards Trade Boards. He hoped to get a reassurance from the Minister that they did not think of following in the recent lines of the British Government in this matter. He urged that it was desirable to maintain the policy of Trade Boards.

Mr. Whelehan said that the Ministry had been in consultation with some of the Boards as to how certain difficulties were to be got over. No very useful suggestion had been forthcoming from the Boards. When they come to consider the whole question of Trade Boards any views put forward by Deputy Johnson would, he could assure him, receive the fullest consideration. With regard to the Parliamentary Secretary's enquiries that day on the whole question of the inspectorate was under consideration. It was thought that it would make for greater efficiency and economy to combine the duties of the inspectors.

Mr. Johnson expressed the hope that the Ministry would not commit itself to any change of policy regarding the Trade Boards without first having a very full inquiry into the matter.

Mr. Whelehan assured the Deputy that the consideration of the question would be very full and earnest; they had not committed themselves to any change in policy.

The further consideration of the estimates was adjourned till to-day.

WATERFORD AND THE PRISONERS.

THEIR RELEASE DEMANDED.

A public meeting to demand the release of political prisoners was held on the Mall, Waterford, last night. It was addressed by Mrs. Cathal Brugha, Professor McCaffrey, Chairman, South Dublin Rural Council, and Eamon Dee.

Mrs. Brugha, widow of the late member for East Waterford, said that it would be a lasting disgrace to every man and woman in Ireland if this imprisonment continued any longer. The Free State Ministers told them that they were there by the will of the people. Was it the will of the people that prisoners should rot in jail? She appealed to all to subscribe as generously as possible towards the dependents' fund.

Professor McCaffrey said that Waterford was an *ark of safety* in the cause of Republicanism, and that Waterford would never stand by and see injustice done. The Government, he said, was afraid to face the votes of the Irish people, and at any by-election the Republican Party would challenge and beat them on the strength of the flogging clause in the Public Safety Bill alone.

A resolution demanding the immediate release of the prisoners was carried.

"A PLEASING DUTY."

DECREASE OF CRIME IN NORTHERN IRELAND.

At the opening of the Tyrone Summer Assizes at Omagh yesterday, the Lord Chief Justice of Northern Ireland, addressing the Grand Jury, said it had been the pleasing duty of Mr. Justice Brown and himself, since leaving Belfast on circuit, to express their satisfaction in every county through which they travelled at the marked change in the interests of peace and order that had taken place, and he was glad, for public as well as personal reasons, to be able to say the same of the County of Tyrone. That county was no exception to the general rule; indeed, if there was any difference, it was a difference in favour of the county.

None of the cases to go before the jury, with the exception, perhaps, of two, showed any features of exceptional difficulty. One of these was a charge against Hamilton Maxwell, who was a "Special," against whom there were three bills. The murder charge which had originally been preferred against him was not going up, but there was a bill for manslaughter, one for possession of firearms without licence, and one for possession of firearms.

The other case was against a school inspector, charged with an assault on a boy. It was a very serious charge, and if the Grand Jury thought there was a *prima facie* case it would be desirable to have it investigated before a jury in open court.

CUMANN NA NGAEDHAEL.

A meeting of the Chapelizod branch of Cumann na nGaedheal was held in the Gaelic League rooms, Chapelizod, on Sunday, Mr. James Keegan presiding. Representatives attended from Palmerstown, Upper and Lower; Kirkcherry Beds and Chapelizod. It was decided to hold a meeting on Sunday, the 29th inst., and in the meantime to organise the outlying districts; also that the "Cumann" should be represented at the lectare by Mr. Sean Milroy, M.P., in Lucan on Thursday next.

PIGEON RACING.

DUBLIN NORTH ROAD CLUB.

Result of Dundalk race, flown on Saturday—14s, O'Kelly, 688 yards per minute; 2nd, Ingle, 685 yards per minute; 3rd, O'Kelly, 681 yards per minute; 4th, O'Kelly, 679 yards per minute; 5th, Ingle, 678 yards per minute; 6th, M'Donnell, 669 yards per minute. Marking 7 a.m. for Banbridge; liberation 3 o'clock p.m.

DUBLIN FEDERATION.

The first young bird race of the Dublin Federation for the season was flown from Arklow on the 14th inst. Birds were released at 2.30 p.m., and the winner flew the distance in 48 minutes. There was a slight east-southeast wind and a thick haze. Result:—

Dublin Federation—1st, J. A. Crone, velocity 956 yards per min.; 2nd, J. A. Crone, 956; 3rd, J. E. Pemberton, 956; 4th, J. A. Crone, 954; 5th, J. E. Pemberton, 952; 6th, F. Ryan, 951; F. O'Kelly, 947; F. Ryan, 946, J. H. Bannister, 945; J. E. Pemberton, 940.

Old Hendle Speed, Dublin—1st, J. A. Crone, 968; 2nd, J. A. Crone, 963; 3rd, J. A. Crone, 963, 954 (two birds); J. H. Bannister, 943.

Dublin City F.C.—1st and 2nd, E. Pemberton, 966, 964; 3rd, F. Ryan, 951, 946; Pemberton, 940; F. Ryan, 937. Dublin Fleet Club—1st and 2nd, E. Pemberton, 956, 952; 3rd, F. O'Kelly, 947; J. E. Pemberton, 940, 951 (two birds). Dublin South Road F.C.—1st, J. E. Pemberton, 946; 2nd, F. O'Kelly, 947; J. H. Bannister, 934; F. C. Bolton, 902; D. McDonnell, 901; A. Brady, 898.

Clarke Bros., Upper, Ussher sealed speed prizes—1, J. Crone, 962; 2, E. Pemberton, 924.

A darting for Wexford race, 4.30 a.m. Harcourt street, 9th inst.

BANK CLERKSHIPS (MALE).

Dates January, 1921, 210 Students at SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, were successful at Bank examinations, National 66, Bank of Ireland 42, Munster and Leinster 36, Hibernian 35, Provincial 22, Ulster 4, Northern 2, London Co. Westminster and Parrs 1.—(Advt.)

A new appeal issued to the "Workers of the World" by the new Soviet Commissars declares that the reaction throughout the world and the increasing of capitalist armaments have forced the Soviet Governments to join forces at one common centre.

ULTRA-VIOLET RAYS.

CONSUMPTION CURE CLAIM BY PARIS STUDENT.

TESTS BY SCIENTISTS.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Tuesday.

French scientists are investigating the claims of Rafael Santos, a 25-year-old medical student at the University of Paris, to the discovery of an infallible cure for tuberculosis in thirty minutes.

After three years' experiments in the leading hospitals here, M. Santos has constructed a set of lens instruments for introducing sun-rays and ultra-violet rays into the human lungs. He declares that these rays have been proved by the experiments to kill all tuberculosis bacilli in less than half-an-hour.

The young student's discovery has created considerable interest in medical circles here, and experiments are being made in the leading clinics this week. Some of the leading professors at the Pasteur Institute are investigating the claims.

M. Santos explains that his apparatus applies ultra-violet rays to the human lungs in such a way that none of the tissues is injured in the process. M. Santos is a Porto Rican, and since the age of 18 has been studying the effects of the sun's rays and ultra-violet rays on consumption.

"I am hopeful of enlisting the help of Dr. Voronoff (the discoverer of the rejuvenating monkey gland)," M. Santos told me yesterday. "He is himself a leader in experimental work, and knows the difficulties presented by public scepticism."

ADMINISTRATION OF WAR PENSIONS.

NORTHERN CRITICISMS.

At a meeting of the Northern Ireland War Pensions Committee held in Belfast yesterday, Mr. W. Chalne, D.L., the chairman of the Committee, presided, and there was an attendance representative of all the nine counties, included in what hitherto had been known as the Regional District.

The chairman said that at the meeting had been specially called to consider the proposals for reorganisation of administration in Northern Ireland. Up to the present the Committee had received no official communication from the Pensions Ministry, but the Parliamentary representative had on one occasion, had outlined a scheme by which it was proposed to cut off from the Ulster area the three counties of Monaghan, Cavan and Donegal, which were in the Free State. The result would be that the activities of that Committee would be considerably curtailed, as well as a good deal of their usefulness. Were they, he asked, going to take this lying down? Should they allow their whole organisation to be upset? That Committee had a strong organisation, built up on long and trying experience. They had had great difficulty and trouble in arranging their district groups. Now three counties were to be withdrawn from them and the Ministry told them the Committee had no interest in the matter. He thought a strong expression of opinion should go from the Committee to the Ministry, as their activities were to be so an interfered with as in a measure to negative the work already accomplished.

NORTH-WEST DISAPPROVAL.

Mr. Wilson (Co. Donegal) strongly disapproved of the proposals which had been put forward and alluded to the hardship that would be inflicted on County Donegal ex-Service men.

Mr. Stevenson (Derry) deplored the fact that politics should be allowed to enter into questions affecting pensions. Surely that was one thing at which they were all of common accord.

Major J. Richardson said that it had been laid down by Captain Craig in explicit terms that the three counties named were to be relegated to the South Ireland region or whatever it was to be called.

The Chairman—And he confirms it more explicitly in a letter to me. He says it is a matter outside the power of the Ministry to take it from Southern Ireland.

Mrs. Stevenson—We understood that the administration of pensions was one of the matters the British Government held in their hands entirely.

Major Richardson appealed to the members of the committee to omit all references to politics from the question. He was very much afraid that the ex-Servicemen were going to meet the same fate as had overtaken many of them. He would at the same time like to remind them that these were all ex-Servicemen who had equal claims on the Ministry to those of men who had fought in the Ulster Division.

Mr. Robert Boyd (Ulster ex-Servicemen's Association) said that the statement of Captain Craig was of far-reaching importance. They had, in effect, been told to mind their own business. The business of the committee was to tell the Ministry, without any fear, that they were going to mind their own business, and that business was the interests and the welfare of the ex-Servicemen.

The following resolution was moved by Mr. Wilson, and it was seconded by Major Richardson, and carried:—

"That this committee is of opinion that the manner in which the proposed re-organisation of pensions administration in Northern Ireland was announced was a breach of the undertaking made on behalf of the Ministry of Pensions at the joint meeting in Dublin on April 7, 1922, when the representatives of North and South were informed that no change would be made in the administration of pensions in Ireland without previous consultation with the committees; and this committee is also of opinion that the Ministry should have consulted and placed them in possession of the proposals prior to making any public announcement at a political meeting."

A further resolution was carried, on the motion of Mr. Wilson, seconded by Mr. Boyd—"That this Committee is of opinion that the work still requiring to be done in the six counties area is too voluminous to warrant the reduction of our region to be controlled by London."

A further resolution was adopted, on the proposition of Mr. Wilson, seconded by Captain Silver—"That this Committee is of opinion that, while the six-county boundary in pension work may ultimately prove to be an unfortunate necessity for political reasons, in view of the changes carried out in December, 1922, the time is not ripe for any such alteration at present, and it requests that the Ministry postpone the proposed changes for at least twelve months."

Captain Lefevre remarked that, as past communications from the Committee had been treated with scant courtesy, a deputation should wait on the Pensions Minister and convey the resolutions just adopted. They would, perhaps, then get some satisfaction. He moved accordingly.

Mr. Boyd seconded the proposal of Captain Lefevre, and the question then arose as to who should be appointed on the deputation.

The Chairman eventually intimated that he would be in London towards the end of the month and undertook to wait upon the Ministry, copies of the resolution to be forwarded in the meantime.

Mr. Boyd moved that the present regulations governing the system of final awards were thoroughly unsatisfactory, and requested that the whole question be reconsidered by the Ministry.

This was seconded by Mrs. Stevenson and carried.

The business terminated.

MOTOR CYCLE ON FIRE.

A motor cycle and side-car caught fire in the Clonliffe road, Dublin, last night. Passers-by endeavoured to extinguish the flames with earth, but the combination was badly damaged.

Insurance at low rates with Phœnix Assurance Co., Ltd., 10-12 Trinity street, Dublin.—J. R. Warner, Manager. Agents everywhere.—(Advt.)

Heavier rainfall was recorded in Sofia during June this year than during that month in any year since 1892. Damage to the crops is feared.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

ALGERIAN WHEAT HARVEST.—The French Minister of Agriculture states that the wheat harvest in Algeria is estimated at ten million quintals, compared with nearly five million quintals last year.

WORKHOUSE MASTER FOUND HANGED.—Yesterday afternoon, Mr. Thomas Barber, Master of the Richmond Workhouse, in Yorkshire, was found hanged in some outbuildings between the workhouse and the Temple grounds.

FAMINE DANGER IN RUSSIA.—The Bolshevist organ, *Pravda*, in a leading article, declares that Eastern Russia is on the eve of a famine. In consequence of the destruction of crops by bad weather it is impossible to anticipate anything like an average harvest.

FREE TRADE.—"Imperial preference, with out taxation of food, is a fraud and a sham," declared Mr. Asquith at a meeting in the House of Commons yesterday, at which it was decided to form a Parliamentary Committee in defence of Free Trade.

LOUVAIN UNIVERSITY LIBRARY.—The opening of the new library of the University of Louvain took place yesterday. Cardinal Mercier dedicated the building, and the Rector of the University expressed his thanks to the United States and France for their magnificent gifts.

ALLEGED CONSPIRACY TO STEAL.—At Marlborough street Police Court, London, yesterday, Alfred Halliday, 45, a London art dealer; Thomas Hales, 39, a broker of Paris, and Frederick Lawson, 32, a London furniture agent, were again brought forward on a charge of conspiring together to steal from an Indian pearls to the value of £12,000. Hales was discharged, and the other defendants were remanded on bail.

WIRELESS CONCERT IN A PIT.—A wireless experiment was carried out at the Wigan Coal and Iron Company's No. 1 preistner pit, Westleigh, yesterday, when an orchestral concert from Manchester was heard at a depth of 850 yards. The previous record was 300 feet below, in Lanarkshire. A further experiment is shortly to be tried at the company's parsonage pit, which is a thousand yards deep.

DEFICIT AGAINST JOCKEY DISMISSED.—At Lewes Assizes yesterday, Lewis Bilbie Rees, 25, steeplechase jockey, was indicted for the manslaughter of Eric Percy William Measom, 8, at Hayward's Heath on May 10. The child was knocked down by a motor car driven by accused. Mr. Justice Avory stopped the case, when a witness said that even if the car had been going slowly it would have been bound to hit the child. The jury returned a formal verdict of not guilty, and accused was discharged.

THE HOUSE OF LORDS.—At yesterday's proceedings against the 63 persons accused of participation in the Whitehaven riots, one of the number, Wilson Knowles, a local boxer, was described as one of the ringleaders in the attacks on the police. Witnesses declared he had an open knife in his hand. Inspector Brown deposed to being struck with an iron bar. Several other witnesses said they were struck with cobblestones and pieces of iron. The case was further adjourned.

SENTENCED TO DEATH. "BRAVADO."—At Swansea Assizes yesterday, Daniel Mainwaring, 24, collier, was sentenced to twelve years' penal servitude, and his brother, Gwynned Mainwaring, 20, was given, twenty-one months' hard labour, in connection with recent armed robberies and shootings at Swan-Valley. For the defence it was stated that the prisoners only acted through bravado, induced by a moving picture, "A Masked Man," and that there was no intention of committing any crime.

MAN AND WIFE KILLED IN MOTOR ACCIDENT.—A fatal motoring accident, involving the loss of two lives, occurred yesterday morning at Mochdre, between Colwyn Bay and Llandudno. In attempting to pass another vehicle, a car driven by Mr. Mandell Levin, of Colwyn Bay, who was accompanied by his wife and daughter, collided with a tar barrel on the roadside and plunged through a hedge into a field, the car turning a somersault in its fall. Mr and Mrs. Levin were killed instantaneously, but Miss Levin escaped with a broken ankle.

ANOTHER BRILLIANT DAY AT BISLEY.—Splendid shooting was again the order at Bisley yesterday, particularly in the contest for the Kolapore Imperial Challenge Cup, won by Great Britain for the thirty-third time. Canada, who came second, secured the Colonial prize. The Graphic Cup and the principal Stock Exchange prize were both won, after tie-shots, by Captain W. King, Territorial Force Reserve. The prize given by the Corporation of the City of London went to C.Q.M.S. Corrie, the Highland Light Infantry champion. £60 was secured for the King's Prize.

PEACEFUL BELFAST.

LITTLE WORK FOR CROWN PROSECUTORS.

Addressing the Grand Jury, at the opening of the Belfast City Commission yesterday, Lord Justice Moore said there was a decrease of 538 in specially reported cases as compared with those for the corresponding period last year. He was very glad to say that there was not a single case of murder, manslaughter, arson, firearms or explosives offences, or rioting.

The returns before him and the police reports indicated that conditions in Belfast had reverted to normal. The city was once more enjoying a sense of security and quietness. Everybody could be congratulated on such a satisfactory state of affairs, with the exception, perhaps, of the Crown Prosecutors, whose business was rapidly dwindling.

The cases to be tried by the Grand Jury for the most part were comprised under three heads—housebreaking, false pretences, and larceny. There were 55 bills, concerning 19 prisoners, for housebreaking, 13 cases of false pretences, involving six prisoners and 28 cases of larceny, with 17 prisoners.

PRISONERS' RIGHTS.

His Lordship, proceeding, remarked that they were holding the Commission under an alteration in the law. The Northern Parliament had assimilated the law of evidence in criminal cases with that of England, and from now on all prisoners in Northern Irish Courts would have the right in every case to go into the witness-box and give evidence on their own behalf. How far that would benefit prisoners he would not venture to say. Many a guilty man had his life saved in the old days by his counsel declaring that the prisoner's mouth was closed, and that he could not come into the box to clear himself. However, every prisoner now had the right to go into the witness-box and give evidence in direct examination.

In England the alteration in the law was followed by the creation of a Court of Criminal Appeal, and very probably a Court of Appeal for Northern Ireland, following this change in the law, might be advisable. It was a matter for the Northern Government.

NEW ULSTER PARTY.

TO CONTEST ALL ELECTIONS.

A movement is in progress to organise a new Ulster political party, whose object is to consolidate democratic sections. Preliminaries have been discussed at a series of informal meetings of those interested, and a committee is engaged in drafting the constitution of the organisation, which, it is understood, has already a following.

The main object of the party is stated to be the putting forward of candidates to contest Parliamentary, municipal and urban elections. At least two members of the Northern Parliament are said to be interested in the movement, which has also the support of representatives of public bodies, and of members of Labour and other organisations.

When the committee appointed to prepare the draft constitution has completed its task the proposals will be submitted for approval to those engaged in the movement, which, in the words of one of the original promoters, "is intended to promote a healthy opposition in our public bodies."

AERIALS AND THUNDERSTORMS.

Mr. F. G. Penny, in the House of Commons, asked the Postmaster-General whether his department obtained any evidence during the thunderstorm which visited London on Monday night and Tuesday morning in last week which would in any way support the idea that it was due in a great measure to the presence of the large number of aerial wires in the neighbourhood.

Sir L. Worthington-Evans (by written reply)—There is no evidence which would in any way support the interesting suggestion made by my hon. friend.

Reuter's Agency learns that the experts who are discussing the Tangier question have adjourned their meetings until August 22.

"INVALID AND VOID."

DUBLIN COUNTY RATES APPEALED.

Yesterday, before the Recorder of Dublin, an important case was heard in which Mr. Charles T. Kettle appealed against the rates struck by the Dublin County Council.

Mr. Carrigan, K.C.; Mr. Dickie, K.C., and Mr. James Henry (instructed by Mr. F. A. Rutherford) appeared for the appellant. The Dublin County Council, respondents, were represented by Mr. H. D. Conner, K.C.; Mr. T. Sullivan, K.C., and Mr. W. J. Shannon (instructed by Mr. Thomas Earley, solicitor).

Mr. Kettle, who resides at Newtown, St. Margaret's, Co. Dublin, is Chairman of the County Dublin Farmers' Association, on whose behalf he appeared as appellant in the case. In his notice of appeal against the rates struck for the year 1923-24 he contended that the rates had been wrongfully assessed and were invalid and void, and that the order should be quashed.

Appellant further contended that the expenditure on roads proposed by the Rathdrumy, Celbridge, No. 2, North Dublin, South Dublin, and Rathdown No. 1 Rural District Councils, and approved by the County Council, had exceeded the limits allowed by law for such expenditure; that the Council included in the estimates for these assessments expenditure on work carried out in the year 1922-23; and that the rates were struck on estimates based on excessive expenditure for outdoor relief and in contravention of powers under the Poor Law Acts.

"DEBARRED BY LAW."

The appellant further alleged that the rate was invalid on the ground that some of the councillors who attended the meetings and voted on the resolution of the District Council who approved of the rates and the County Council who passed them were employés of the District Councils and the County Council, and were debarred by law from being members of such Councils.

Mr. Carrigan, who dealt with the enormous increase in rates, particularly as regards roads, in recent years, said that the ratepayers could no longer afford to lie down under such a grievous burthen of taxation. They, therefore, came before his lordship for protection and relief.

Mr. Conner said that under Section 51 of the Local Government Act of 1898 the County Council was bound to assess the demand of the Rural District Council, so long as it was legal on the face of it. It was for the ratepayers to deal with the councillors whom they elected. With the exception of the roads, the Rural Council had no direct control.

Counsel submitted that the County Council had in no way exceeded its rights and responsibilities. He cited several legal decisions, and, in conclusion, said that this was not a case in which the rate struck should be quashed.

ABNORMAL CIRCUMSTANCES.

Mr. Sullivan followed, and pointed out that, owing to abnormal circumstances, the expense of maintenance of roads had enormously increased from 1916 onwards.

The rates were quashed, Mr. Balrothery Council, or any of the other district councils, could submit a new estimate and demand the next day, and, if that demand was not met, a *mandamus* could be applied for to compel the County Council to strike the rate.

Mr. Dickie suggested that his lordship ought to leave out the amount of the rate which had been assessed over and above the estimate. He could compel the Council to cut its coat according to its cloth.

The Recorder reserved judgment.

IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT.

INDIA IN THE COMMONS.

MR. KIRKWOOD AND THE UNION JACK.

FROM OUR PARLIAMENTARY CORRESPONDENT.

WESTMINSTER, Tuesday.

Earl Winterton, the Under-Secretary of State for India, had quite a good time during the discussion on the report stage of the India Loans Bill, which authorises the Indian Government to raise in this country loans aggregating 65 million pounds. The noble lord was given an opportunity of replying to certain criticisms advanced by Mr. Lloyd George, and he certainly made the most of it.

Major-General Sir R. W. Hutchison had moved an amendment, providing that at least 75 per cent of the sums raised should be spent in Great Britain. This was described by Mr. C. Roberts as a Protectionist demand, but the ex-Premier, in supporting the amendment, brushed the argument aside. It was, he said, a purely business proposition, and he conceived we were entitled to exercise some control over the money we advanced. He characterised the resolution passed by the Indian Legislative Assembly to buy in the cheapest market as a challenge.

Earl Winterton reminded the right hon. gentleman that it was his own Government which had accepted to this "challenging" resolution, and he went on to point out that the amendment was really unnecessary, as in respect of loans to India 95 per cent. of them had been spent in this country.

Major-General Sir R. Hutchison did not press his motion to a division, and the report stage, after further discussion, was concluded.

The Expiring Laws (Continuance) Bill, which re-enacts a number of bills, including a few war-time legacies, which have to be annually reviewed, provided a certain amount of discussion when considered in Committee. The points raised, however, were comparatively unimportant, and were mostly for the purpose of eliciting information.

The Postmaster-General, interrogated by Mr. Pringle, on the subject of broadcasting, promised to make a short statement next week, though until the Committee now considering the question had reported he could not hope to come to any definite conclusions.

Mr. Ramsay Macdonald was anxious as to the prospects of the Government's Workmen's Compensation Bill to replace the 1917 measure, which lapsed on December 31. Mr. Godfrey Locker-Lampson was able to assure the House that the Opposition that the Government had every intention of passing the bill in the autumn session.

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Things brightened up a bit when Commander Kenworthy moved the omission of the section of the Aliens Restriction Act which regulates the admission to this country of former enemy and other aliens.

Mr. Lansbury, in seconding, declared that the Act was used for purely political purposes, and was specially directed against people holding Communist views.

There were loud Government cheers at this, whereupon Mr. Kirkwood rose in a state of great indignation and proceeded to t

SALES OF BARLEY.

INCOME TAX AND EXCESS PROFIT ASSESSMENTS.

MESSRS. GUINNESS WIN ON APPEAL.

In the Court of Appeal, Dublin, yesterday, judgment was delivered by the Master of the Rolls, Lord Justice Ronan, and Mr. Justice Pim, in the case of A. Guinness, Son, and Company, Limited, v. the Inland Revenue.

The case had come before the Court on an appeal from the King's Bench Division, on behalf of Messrs. Guinness, who applied that the order of the King's Bench Division of the 14th May, 1923, made by the Lord Chief Justice and Mr. Justice Dodd, should be discharged, and that, in lieu of the King's Bench order, it should be ordered that the appellants are not liable to the assessments of income tax of £20,450 for the year ending 5th April, 1919; for £17,207 income tax for the year ending 5th April, 1920; for £20,114 income tax for the year ending 5th April, 1921, made upon them under the provisions of the Income Tax Acts; or to the assessment of £126,014 excess profits duty for the accounting period of three months ending on 30th June, 1917, made upon them by the respondents, the Commissioners of Inland Revenue, under the provisions of the Finance (No. 2) Act, 1915, Part III., and subsequent enactments. The appellants also asked that the decision of the Commissioners for the special purposes of the Income Tax Acts should be reversed.

It appeared that Messrs. Guinness, whose main business is the manufacture of stout, in the usual course of their trade purchased large stocks of barley, which they used solely as raw material for the manufacture of stout. By the Barley (Requisition) Order, 1917, the Food Controller, acting under the powers conferred on him by the Regulations of the Defence of the Realm Act, requisitioned the barley of appellants, and the Royal Commission on Wheat Supplies instructed them to sell it on behalf of the Commission to various millers at prices fixed by the Commission. In respect of certain sales of the barley, assessments for income tax for the sums mentioned, and an assessment of excess profits duty in the sums of £126,014 were made on the appellants.

QUESTION OF PROFITS.

They appealed to the Special Commissioners of Income Tax, who held that the profit arising from the sale of barley by the appellants to or under the instructions of the Government formed part of the annual profits or gains arising from the trade or business carried on by the appellants, and fell to be included in the computation of the appellants' profits for the purposes of income tax and excess profits duty. The Commissioners accordingly confirmed the assessments.

The case came before the Lord Chief Justice and Mr. Justice Dodd, in the King's Bench Division, on a case stated by the Commissioners, and the Court unanimously confirmed the assessments, with costs to the respondents.

The Court of Appeal, by a majority (Mr. Justice Pim dissenting) reversed the decision of the King's Bench Division, discharged the assessments, and gave Messrs. Guinness the costs of the Court of Appeal, of the King's Bench Division, of the special case stated, and of the arguments on it.

THE JUDGMENT.

The Master of the Rolls, in giving judgment, said that there was only one question involved, and that was whether certain profits arising from what had been described as the sale of barley, but to which for the present he preferred to give the neutral description of transactions in barley, ought to be treated as profits arising out of a trade or business so as to be liable to assessment for income tax and excess profits duty. It must be clearly understood that the claim of the Commissioners was made in respect of the profits arising out of a trade or business, and not under any other head.

What was the nature of the transactions? The barley was purchased by the appellants in the ordinary course of trade for the purpose of their business. That was, no doubt, a trading transaction. But then the Government stepped in, and by virtue of its authority compulsorily appropriated the barley, no doubt on the terms that the appellants were to be compensated. From that moment the appellants ceased in reality to be owners. They could not use it for the purpose of their own trade; they could not themselves dispose of it for any purpose; they were compelled to hold it as mere warehousemen for the Royal Commission, and deliver it on behalf of the Commission and under their orders. In effect the Government said to the appellants: No doubt you purchased this barley for the purpose of your trade, but you shall not trade with it. And the appellants were bound to submit. Surely, that was not in the course of their trade or business.

The judgment of the Lord Chief Justice in the Court below was based principally upon the case of the Mullingar Rural District Council v. Bowles. But there was an essential difference between that case and the present case. The acts which were held to have constituted a trading by the Mullingar Council were the acts of the Council, done by them in pursuance of statutory authority enabling them to sell water. No doubt, in the exercise of their powers they were subject to restrictions and under legal obligations to supply certain persons. Their trade was in the supply of water for money payments. They were the sellers. Their customers were the buyers. That was not merely their ordinary trade, but their only trade; and their profits arose out of that trade. It was not a case, like the present one, in which the statutory authority of the traders to trade in their own goods was "held up," their goods taken from them, and applied by an extern party to purposes foreign to their own trade.

The Master of the Rolls also dealt with the decision in the case of the Glenboig Union Fireclay Company and other cases. He said that he need not deal separately with the branch of the case which was conversant with excess profits duty, because once he arrived at the conclusion that the compensation money paid for the barley was not a trade profit the claim for excess profits duty failed with the claim for income tax. In his opinion the appeal should be allowed.

Lord Justice Ronan said that he was of the same opinion. He referred to what he described as the masterly judgment of the Master of the Rolls, and said that the entire fallacy of the judgment in the King's Bench was that, whereas Guinness and Company did buy this barley, they never sold it, because it was absurd to contend that a sale by an agent on behalf of a principal was a sale by the agent on behalf of himself.

ANOTHER VIEW.

Mr. Justice Pim, who dissented, said that he had come to the conclusion that the sale of the barley was, apart from compulsion, an ordinary trading transaction. The question that remained was this:—Is a sale, which is within the powers of the seller, and for which he receives a price which he has accepted, rendered less an ordinary trading transaction because it is compulsory? If so, in this case the strange result would follow, that if the Government had requisitioned the stout belonging to the appellants, and directed them to sell it at a price fixed by the Government, and unchallenged by them, and to send it to the various Army centres in France, then, although it was a sale of a thing which they (the appellants) had produced, and at a price which they did not object to, it was not a transaction in the ordinary course of trade, because it was compulsory.

They had no evidence before them whether if the barley had been turned into stout the appellants would have made more or less profit. If they had made more, then their taxation would have been greater than it is to-day. If they had made the same profit, their taxation would be exactly as it is to-day. If they had made less, what had they suffered? He had come to the conclusion that the decision of the Special Commissioners of Income Tax was right, and that this appeal should be dismissed.

Mr. Wilson, K.C.; Mr. FitzGibbon, K.C., and Mr. Phelps (instructed by Messrs. Fred. Sutton and Son), were for the appellants; and Mr. Brown, K.C.; Mr. Timothy Sullivan, K.C., and Mr. G. W. Shannon (instructed by Mr. Richard Martin), for the Inland Revenue.

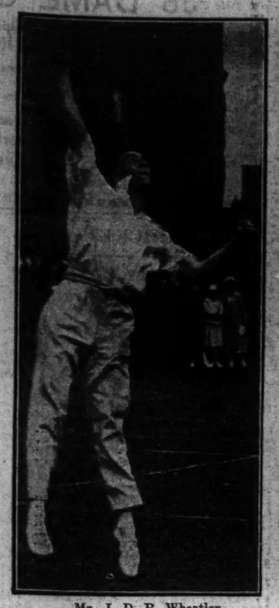
SIKI'S PET LION.

MAN WHO WAS CLAWED CLAIMS DAMAGES.

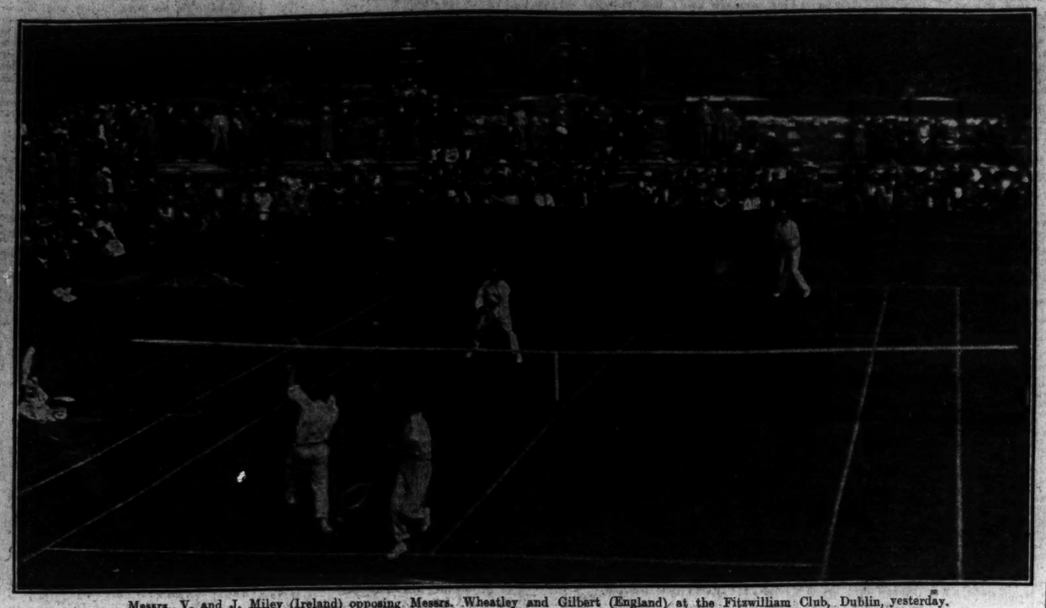
An Exchange Paris message states that Battling Siki is being sued for 40,000 francs damages by a man who alleges that his legs were clawed, by a young lion owned by Siki.

ENGLAND WINS LAWN TENNIS INTERNATIONAL.

Special Pictures of Yesterday's Matches in Dublin.



Mr. J. D. P. Wheatley.



Messrs. V. and J. Miley (Ireland) opposing Messrs. Wheatley and Gilbert (England) at the Fitzwilliam Club, Dublin, yesterday.

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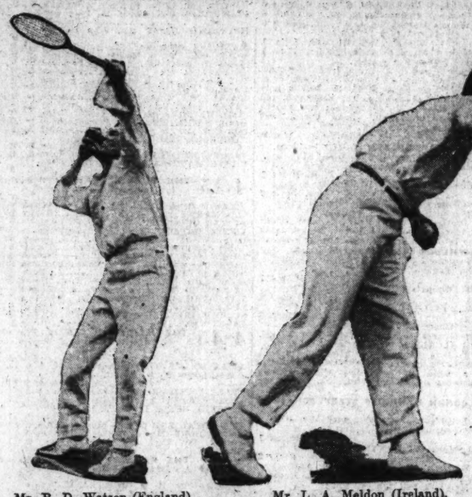

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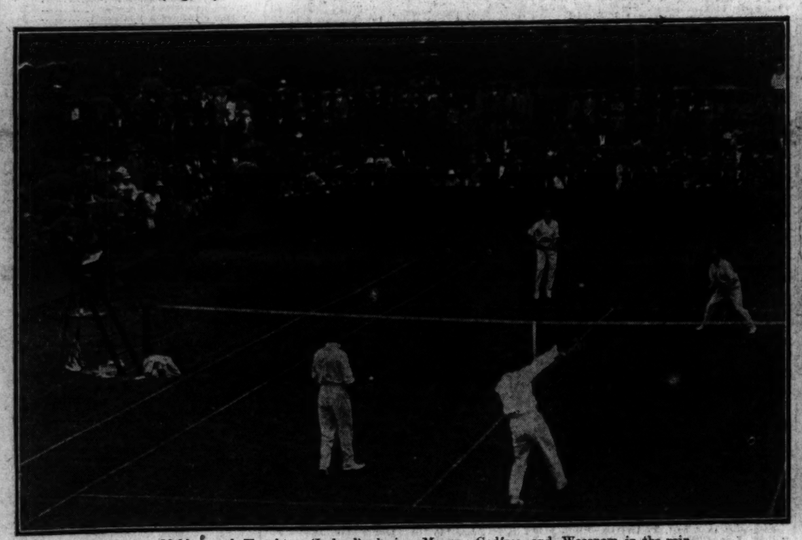
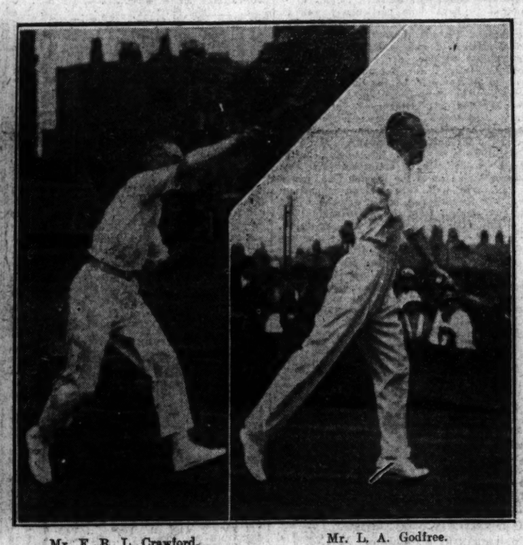


Messrs. Meldon and Haughton (Ireland) playing Messrs. Godfree and Woosnam in the rain.



Mr. F. R. L. Crawford.

Mr. L. A. Godfree.

ENGLAND.
Back Row:—Messrs. F. R. L. Crawford, J. B. Gilbert, R. D. Watson.
Front Row:—Messrs. L. A. Godfree, M. Woosnam, and J. D. P. Wheatley.

IRELAND.
Back Row:—Messrs. G. S. B. Mack, V. Miley, B. Haughton.
Front Row:—Messrs. H. R. Price, L. A. Meldon, and J. Miley.

GOLF.

SOCIETIES CUP FINAL.
HOLDERS DEFEATED.

The final of the Dublin United Societies' Association Cup was played yesterday evening at Milltown between the holders (Motor Trades) and Catholic University Schools Union, and resulted in a win for the Catholic University Schools Union by 4 matches to 1. The course, which was in grand order, was at championship length, except that at the 14th the new forward tee was used instead of the back tee, and, as most of the University team are members of the Milltown Club, their "local knowledge" was a great asset in their favour. Their leading pair, which had been changed for the final, were beaten 4 and 3, and two of the other matches went beyond the home green, the second being decided at the 19th and the third at the 20th.

After the match Sir James Percy (President of the Association), who was in charge in the absence of Dr. Price, proposed a vote of thanks to the Hon. Secretary for the thoroughly efficient manner in which he had carried out the arrangements in connection with the tournament. Mr. M. J. Moran, captain of the club, who is prominently identified with the Drapers' Society, seconded the motion, which was enthusiastically adopted. Mr. J. Dixon proposed a vote of thanks to the Delgany, Milltown, and Woodbrook clubs. Mr. G. Meldon seconded, and the motion was also heartily adopted. The cup and memorices were presented to the winners by Mr. Moran.

The result was as follows:—

MOTOR TRADES.		CATHOLIC UNIV. SCHOOLS.	
J. L. Crabbe and D. Beatty (4 & 3)	1	F. Horne and T. Coleman	0
P. A. Bell and W. Cooper	0	J. Callan and J. Maher (at 19th)	1
H. L. Bell and R. Pearson	0	C. Cullen and W. Doolin (at 20th)	1
H. Plant and P. Robinson	0	L. Smyth and J. Pike (2 & 4)	1
P. J. Lawrence and R. Gibson	0	J. Callan and K. Smyth (2 and 1)	1
Total	1	Total	4

LADIES' COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP
BRITISH CHAMPION BEATEN TWICE.

In two matches between Yorkshire and Cheshire at Moortown, Leeds, yesterday, Miss Chambers, the British lady champion, was twice defeated by Miss Wragg. In the first game Miss Wragg won—5 and 4, but in the afternoon she had to go to the 19th before defeating her opponent. The result of the first match was a win for Yorkshire by 5 matches to 3, but the visitors won the second match by the odd game in seven.

CLUB NOTICES AND REPORTS.

LUCAN.—The Spa Hotel Cup was won by T. Cregan, who beat Dr. Grogan in the final. July 21st—18 holes, bogey.

RATHFARNHAM.—President's Prize—Class I.: J. W. Rivery (10), 71; E. P. Barrett (10), 74; A. A. Brunker (11), 79. Class II.: G. Hermant (32), 76; H. Crumplin (22), 76; H. M. Wood (24), 79.

TULLAMORE.—Ladies' Branch.—Tullamore Ladies v. Athy—Tullamore won the singles and foursomes. June Medal—Winner, Miss Egan. Men's Branch.—Mixed foursomes: P. J. Egan and Mrs. Williams tied with T. Graham and Mrs. Corry (77). Saturday, 21st—Monthly medal, bogey.

KILLINEY.—Ladies' Branch.—Friday, 20th—Prize presented by Mr. Stephen Ashlin, 18 holes, strokes. Draws 11, 2.30 and 3.30. Monthly Medal—Mrs. Maunsell (16), 72; Mrs. Knapp (17), 74.

MILLTOWN.—Ladies' Branch.—The club foursomes were won by the Misses Crinion, 98—32=74; Miss O'Leary and Mrs. Phillipson, 97—20=77. The prize presented by a member was won by Miss Yare (rec. 13), 1 up; Mrs. Phillipson (rec. 10), all square.

MALAHIDE.—Result 18-hole stroke competition for handicaps of 18 and over—Charles Shanks, 66. Men's foursome, for prize presented by a member—J. W. Butler and Charles Shanks, 68½. The competition for Club Cup and prizes, originally arranged for Saturday, 21st, has been postponed to Monday, the 23rd, on account of Malahide Regatta being held on the former date. Malahide v. Bray Occasionals—Return match at Malahide on 25th inst.

SUTTON.—Surprise foursome, Saturday next. Entries close 7.30 p.m. on 18th. Ladies' Branch.—Messrs. West's Prize—Won by Miss Hannon; second, Miss Scales. July Medal—Mrs. Bourke, 71; Miss Hannon, 80. July 19th—Semi-open mixed foursomes. Draws off 5 and 6 o'clock trains for those who have not got opponents.

RAILWAY AND STEAM PACKET G.S.—The competition for the Captain's prize was played over the Castle course, with the following result:—Jos. Walker (13), 73; F. J. Phelan (12), 73; F. McDowell (17), 74. Messrs. Walker and Phelan having tied, were obliged to replay, when Walker won.

LUCAN.—Ladies' Branch—Airlie Cup:—Mrs. Coady (17), 76; Mrs. Burke (9), 80.

CO. LOUTH (BALTRAY).—To-morrow—Open mixed foursomes. Post entries; draws 2.30 and 3 o'clock. Knockdromin Cup—1st, J. Mathews (36), 149; 2nd, P. O. Dolan (24), 152.

WOODBROOK CLUB.

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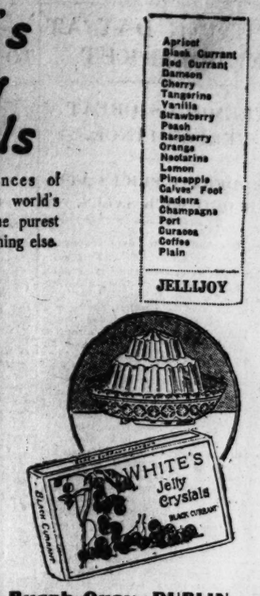

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LAWN TENNIS.

IRELAND V. ENGLAND.
IRISH CHAMPIONSHIP.

Apart from a heavy shower, which drove the players to shelter quite early in the afternoon for about a quarter of an hour, the conditions at Milton place yesterday were all that could be wished.

As on Monday, the match with England took chief place, and with the Doubles occupying three courts the Championship events were checked to some extent, still the programme is well in hand, and it should be quite possible to finish in the week, provided, of course, that the present fine weather continues.

As a result of the six Singles played on Monday, which went in favour of England by five matches to one, an English victory was practically certain, but few anticipated that it would come by such a large margin. The first three Doubles matches played yesterday put the issue beyond doubt, and our visitors went on piling up points until at the end of the second day's play England was an easy winner by thirteen matches to two—131 games to 103.

Meldon and Haughton opened on the centre court against Godfree and Woosnam, and when the home pair took the first set at 6-4, having been led 3-0, it looked as if the turn of the tide had come. The second set was evenly fought to the ninth game, when the score stood 5-4 for England. On Haughton's service we should have drawn level in the tenth, but after deuce had been called five times England scored and a double fault gave her game and set to square the match. The third was also very close all through. Four all, five all, and six all in turn, until the fourteenth, when Meldon lost his service, and England went out 8-6 for the match.

On Court 5 the match between the Mileys and Watson and Crawford ran on very similar lines, but poor lobbing did away with any chance the home pair had, and England scored again by two sets to one. Mack and Price put up a very good fight against Wheatley and Gilbert—probably the best of the visitors' pair—but they just failed, and England made the result certain by eight matches to one.

In the next round J. and V. Miley faced Wheatley and Godfree, and though they went down in two straight sets the run of the play is well shown by the scores, 9-7, 7-5. Better combination and a single more accuracy might have turned the scale. Meldon and Haughton quite failed to maintain the form of their earlier match, and proved easy victims for Crawford and Watson. Our remaining pair did very well up to a point with Godfree and Woosnam, but falled in the final set.

In the final round, when the last-named pair faced Watson and Crawford, they failed to play, and England scored another easy win, 6-2, 6-4. This round provided the surprise of the day's play. Meldon and Haughton produced their best form and disposed of Wheatley and Gilbert in two sets, 6-4, 6-3. But the effort came too late to make any real difference, and the defeat of the Mileys brought England's total to thirteen.

Pace and accuracy had a lot to say to the result, but the chief factor in our visitors' win was their knowledge of each other's game, and the way they fitted in. Details:—

ENGLAND v. IRELAND.

L. A. Godfree and M. Woosnam (England) beat J. Miley and V. Miley (Ireland)—6-3, 4-6, 6-2; beat L. A. Meldon and B. Haughton (Ireland)—4-6, 6-4, 8-6; beat G. S. Mack and H. R. Price (Ireland)—3-6, 6-3, 7-5.

J. D. P. Wheatley and J. B. Gilbert (England) beat G. S. Mack and H. R. Price (Ireland)—4-6, 6-4, 7-5; beat J. and V. Miley (Ireland)—9-7, 7-5; lost to L. A. Meldon and B. Haughton (Ireland)—4-6, 3-6.

R. D. Watson and F. R. L. Crawford (England) beat L. A. Meldon and B. Haughton (Ireland)—6-3, 6-0; beat J. and V. Miley (Ireland)—7-5, 4-6, 6-3; beat G. S. Mack and H. R. Price (Ireland)—6-2, 6-4.

THE CHAMPIONSHIPS.

MEN'S SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP—FIRST ROUND.

H. B. Pollock beat E. J. Glynn—6-2, 6-1, 7-5.
Sir G. A. Thomas beat C. D. Montague—1-6, 6-4, 2-6, 6-4, 6-3.
J. F. Stokes beat T. V. Murphy—6-1, 6-1, 6-1.

SECOND ROUND.

M. Topsin beat D. McWeeney—6-4, 8-6, 6-3.
E. McAlister w.o. A. Channing scr.
W. G. Marshall beat J. Gregg—6-0, 6-3, 6-0.

MEN'S DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP.

F. D. Hood and V. Allman Smith beat F. Crosbie and E. Hornidge—7-5, 6-1, 1-6, 7-5.
B. O'Reilly and F. C. Martin beat M. Sugden and T. Tomlinson—7-5, 3-6, 4-6, 6-3, 6-1.
S. F. Scroope and C. Reilly beat Meckler and Roche—6-3, 6-4, 6-4.

SECOND ROUND.

R. E. Maguire and F. A. Maguire beat A. Channing and J. J. Bob—6-1, 6-0, 6-0.
Rev. R. M. Gilbert and A. Cave beat Major Mainguy and Capt. E. Honner—6-2, 6-2, 6-1.

LADIES' SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP—FIRST ROUND.

Mrs. Miley w.o. Mrs. Simmonds scr.
Mrs. Dudley beat Miss N. Durlacher—7-5, 6-2.
Miss Ryan beat Miss N. Daly—6-0, 6-0.

SECOND ROUND.

Mrs. Brandt beat Mrs. Tomlinson—3-6, 6-3, 6-3.
Miss Pearson w.o. Mrs. Dwyer scr.
Miss N. Haughton beat Miss A. O'Brien—6-3, 6-2.
Mrs. J. Miley beat Mrs. West—8-6, 8-3.
Mrs. Price beat Miss H. O'Reilly—4-6, 6-2, 6-1.
Miss Martyn beat Miss Wardell—6-4, 6-2.
Miss D. Greene beat Miss L. Boland—6-4, 6-0.
Miss H. Wallis beat Mrs. Manning—6-1, 6-0.
Mrs. Rounds beat Miss Leits—6-1, 6-1.
Miss Scott w.o., Miss Donellan scr.

LADIES' DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP—SECOND ROUND.

Mrs. Scroope and Miss Morregh beat Mrs. Jameson and Miss Wardell—6-1, 4-6, 6-3.
Miss H. O'Reilly and Miss H. Wallis beat Mrs. Oliver and Miss Durlacher—6-3, 6-2.
Miss Leits and Miss Martyn beat Mrs. King and Miss Jackson—6-2, 6-4.

BOYS' SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIPS—FIRST ROUND.

V. Hogg beat A. Langford—6-0, 6-1.

SECOND ROUND.

G. W. Murray beat W. Cook—6-4, 6-2.
W. Glanville beat S. Riordan—6-0, 6-1.
V. S. Ballagh beat W. Griffin—6-1, 6-4.
J. E. Cairns beat J. J. Scannell—6-1, 6-3.

GIRLS' SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP—SECOND ROUND.

Miss P. Boyd beat Miss M. Harrington—6-0, 6-4.
Miss G. Scott w.o., Miss M. Donnellan scr.
Miss M. French beat Miss G. Cairns—6-3, 6-1.
Miss N. Stokes beat Miss N. Ringwood—6-4, 6-0.
Miss D. French beat Miss M. O'Connor—6-0, 6-1.
Miss F. Evans beat Miss S. McNamara—6-0, 1-6, 6-1.
Miss Klingner beat Miss Foxall—7-5, 2-6, 6-4.

PROGRAMME FOR TO-DAY.

11 a.m.—F. E. Davitt v. Wheatley (A); Miss Greene v. Mrs. Martyn; Mrs. Brandt v. Miss Booth; Mrs. Haughton v. Miss N. Haughton; Miss G. Scott v. Miss M. French; G. W. Murray v. Glanville; Griffen v. Cairns; Hogg v. Hogan (K).

12 noon.—Miss Boyd v. Miss Henry; Mrs. Rounds v. Miss F. Pearson; Denis Daly v. A. Wallis Myers; G. S. B. Mack and Sir G. A. Thomas v. Read and Price; Mrs. Miley v. Mrs. Price; Miss Julian and Miss Allen v. Mrs. Scroope and Miss Morregh; Montague and Mrs. Blair White v. R. E. Tottenham and Mrs. Good; J. Riordan v. G. West (L).

1 p.m.—T. J. Purefoy v. B. Haughton (C); Mrs. Mainguy v. Miss Lynch; Miss M. Haughton and Miss N. Haughton v. Miss Kelly and Miss M. Boland; Miss Klinger v. Miss Evans.

2 p.m.—Tunney v. French, F.A. (H); Mrs. Dudley and Miss Ryan v. Mrs. Price and Miss Stewart (C); J. Miley v. S. B. Mack; Miss Wallis v. Miss Julian; J. Miley and Mrs. Miley v. Maconchy and Miss N. Daly.

3 p.m.—H. G. Price v. Allman Smith; J. D. P. Wheatley and Miss Leith v. Wallis Myers and Mrs. Tomlinson; Marshall v. Mockler (F.); Winner of (K) v. Winner of (L).

4 p.m.—H. M. Read v. L. A. Meldon (B); Miss Ryan v. Miss N. Stokes; C. J. O'Reilly and Miss O'Reilly v. G. S. Maguire and Miss Durlacher; G. C. Martin and Miss Chambers v. D. Humphreys and Miss E. Haughton; J. F. Stokes and Mrs. Beatty v. B. Haughton and Miss M. Haughton; Mrs. Blair White v. Mrs. Dudley; G. Kennedy v. Winner of (H).

5 p.m.—E. A. McGuire v. R. T. Cherry (D); G. S. B. Mack and Miss Walker v. J. W. New and Miss K. M. Kelly; Wallis Myers and Wheatley v. Montague and Wallis; Pollock v. Crosbie; H. R. Price and Mrs. Price v. Sir G. A. Thomas and Miss Stewart; Gilbert v. Winner of (F).

6 p.m.—Mrs. Hutchinson and Miss Orr v. Mrs. Blair White and Mrs. Hutchinson; Mrs. Beatty and Mrs. Tomlinson v. Mrs. Rotheram and Miss Greene; Good and Allman Smith v. O'Reilly and F. C. Martin; S. F. Scroope and C. J. O'Reilly v. D. Daly and Rev. G. Hall; J. and V. Miley v. R. A. Maguire and G. E. Barlay; J. F. Stokes v. Winner of (C).

7 p.m.—Winner of (A) v. Winner of (B); G. W. Murray v. Winner of (D); Mrs. Miley and Miss Daly v. Winners of (E).

LONGFORD v. BOYNE.

Played on the grounds of the former club, and resulted in a win for the home club by 7 matches to 5. Details:—

Mixed Doubles—Dr. Boyers and Miss Mellett beat Mr. H. Gillespie and Mrs. Browne, 8-6, 6-0; E. B. Kerr and Mrs. Thorpe lost to G. Gillespie and Miss Watson, 6-8, 1-6; G. A. Percival and Mrs. Browne lost to Dr. Madden and Miss N. Browne, 6-1, 4-6, 4-6; King McCann and Miss M. Moore beat A. V. Browne and Mrs. Gillespie, 6-1, 4-6, 6-4; B. Rossiter and Miss Burke beat W. Gillespie and Miss Wagner, 6-0, 6-4; G. A. Finlay and Miss Kerr beat W. Sloane and Miss Browne, 6-2, 6-2.

Ladies' Doubles—Miss Mellett and Mrs. Thorpe lost to Mrs. Browne and Miss Watson, 4-6, 2-6; Mrs. Browne and Miss McCann lost to Miss N. Browne and Mrs. Gillespie, 4-6, 1-6; Miss Burke and Miss Kerr lost to Miss Wagner and Miss Browne, 3-6, 2-6.

Men's Doubles—Dr. Boyers and E. B. Kerr beat H. Gillespie and G. Gillespie, 6-3, 6-3; King McCann and G. A. Percival beat Dr. Madden and A. V. Browne, 6-3, 6-2; B. Rossiter and G. A. Finlay beat W. Gillespie and W. Sloane, 6-1, 6-4.

TOURNAMENT AT TRINITY HALL.

By kind permission of the Provost of Trinity College, an American tournament, in aid of the Jewish Girls' Guild, was held in the grounds of Trinity Hall, Dartry road.

The final, in which C. Langford and Miss Molly Gray met Latimer and Miss Tully, was productive of some first-class tennis, and was won by the former pair. Tea was provided in the hall, under the supervision of Mrs. Bardon, who also kindly distributed the prizes.

JUVENILE TOURNAMENT.

An open handicap tournament will be held on 24th, 26th, 26th, and 27th July at Lansdowne road for the Lansdowne Club for players under 16 years of age on 1st May, 1923. Entries close on Friday, 20th inst.

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ALL IRELAND CLUB.

An interesting five-chukkar club match was played yesterday at the Nine Acres, Phœnix Park, between Culmullen and A.I.P.C., and resulted in a win for the former by 7 goals to 4. The match was remarkable from the fact that the Culmullen team was composed of members of one family—Mr. J. Leonard and his sons. They proved a strong combination, and fully deserved their victory.

Culmullen—J. A. Leonard, T. R. Leonard, John Leonard, and P. J. Leonard.

A.I.P.C.—F. Lillis, A. M'Cann, J. A. B. Trench, and Captain Goulding.

To-morrow—Wasps v. Bees, 4 o'clock. Practice 4.45.

Army v. Ministry of Finance at Lawn Tennis.

Front Row:—Messrs. Doolin and Brennan (Finance), General Mulcahy, Major-General D. Favitt.
Back Row:—Commandant Feely, Messrs. H. Hogan and Gilbert (Finance), Dr. O'Connor and Major-General Seamus Hogan (Army), and Mr. Ryan (Finance).

GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE.

OPENING DAY AT NEWMARKET

TREMOLA'S GREAT PERFORMANCE.

MODERATE PRICES AT BLOODSTOCK SALES.

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

NEWMARKET, Tuesday.

It has been an extraordinarily dull day's racing, relieved only by a remarkable performance on the part of Tremola, who, with 9st. 12lb. up, won the Besufort Stakes in a common canter from Vigneron and Virgin Gold. Tremola has been a loudly-whispered tip for the Stewards' Cup at Goodwood for some time, and although the handicapper, who completes his compilation of the weights by to-morrow night, will take due notice of to-day's performance, he will find difficulty in giving Tremola an impost that will put him out of the Goodwood sprint. The horse is in great form at the present time, probably better than he has ever been in his life.

The ring opened 4 to 1 the field when the numbers went up this afternoon, prices that were snapped up by Mr. Falcon's representative; and ultimately he came to 5 to 2, though at this price he was fairly easy to back, as Captain Bewicke was indulging in a splash on Vigneron. When he showed signs of being troublesome at the post the starter, who had been compelled to leave him at the Hunt Cup post, ordered Tremola to the outside.

TREMOLA WINS IN A CANTER.

There he bucked and backed, but Archibald, who is a positive genius at the gate, had him coming up at a canter as the tapes went up, and they had not gone a hundred yards before he had a three or four lengths' lead. All Archibald had to do after that was to sit still on him, and he won in a common canter by four lengths from Vigneron.

Some of the other racing was dreadfully dull. They laid odds of 5 to 2 and 2 to 1 on Goldendale, but in the Trial Selling Plate this big brute curled up at the finish, and could only get third to Karelia and Southern. Odds again were laid on Gurzil in the Soltykoff Stakes, and this very smart colt, which Butters trains for Lady Sheffield, won in a canter by six lengths from Gilpin's Royal Crescent, about whom the Clarehaven trainer had had more than a little hope that she would beat the winner.

Condover, Diligence, and Poisoned Arrow missed the Dullingham Stakes, and only two moderate opponents turned out to oppose Hurry Off, who beat them comfortering.

PORTSOY'S SUCCESS.

After this the proceedings brightened up a bit. There was Tremola's race, and immediately after that the Spring Hall Plate, for which Lord Lascelles' Patras was made favourite. This colt was also supposed to hold a big chance in the Stewards' Cup, but he will have to improve on to-day's running to have a look in, for he was well beaten by my selection, Portsoy, and Kissing Cup also finished in front of him. This grey Tetrarch filly had every chance to win if she liked, but she swished her tail and turned it up when asked to turn on a bit extra at the finish, and Portsoy beat her comfortably.

Portsoy is the property of the Indian owner, Mr. Goculdas, and it is rumoured to-day that this gentleman has sold Patch for £20,000. Another Indian purchase recently was Invermay, whom Mr. Ash, a patron of Jack Leader's stable, recently bought in Ireland from Captain Bald. She gave a very poor showing here.

CHRONOMETER DISAPPOINTS.

In the last race, the Saxham Stakes, everyone had it that it was a certainty for Chronometer, a novice from Mr. Persse's stable. She is a half-sister to Friar, by Hurry On, and is owned by the Duke of Westminster. Her appearance caused not a little amusement in the paddock, for she is very short and thick-set, even pot-bellied, and a little scrubby tail gives her altogether a comical appearance. After people had seen her go down, they were not so enthusiastic about her chance, and at the finish Grand Folly was a better favourite. Chronometer made a slow beginning, which cost her several lengths, but when she got through she put up a good show, and was only beaten by that very consistent filly, Morals of Marcus, who had always been well placed on the stand side. I have seldom known a year when the Brocklesby form has worked out so well, for Obliterate, the winner, has shown himself a useful colt since, and Morals of Marcus, who was third, has been only once out of a place since, and then she was fourth.

BLOODSTOCK SALES.

The highest price given at yesterday's sales was the 1,500 guineas which Lord Dewar paid for the four-year-old Irish mare, Vesta, out of the lot sent up by the executors of the late Mr. W. C. Carr, of County Down. Out of the same batch Inky Toy, with her colt foal by Argos, went to Lord St. Davids for 630 guineas. The stallion, Argos, was sold very cheaply for 500 guineas. He returns to Ireland, Captain Tuthill being his purchaser. Nothing is so difficult at the present time to sell as a stallion, owing to the absence of demand from abroad, and the fact that this country is heavily over-stocked with sires. None of the brood mares offered by Michael Beary changed hands, the reserves not having been reached in a single instance. Mr. E. Kenedy bought the brood mare, Tullamore by Swynford, out of Tullia, from among the lots of Mr. F. Bibby's lot, for 470 guineas, and the Sunstar mare, Starlight, for 640 guineas. Mr. Albert Lowry bought the King's Swynford mare, Pinafore, for 330 guineas.

I am afraid that the racing to-morrow will not provide us with many thrills. In the July Handicap I think a good chance is afforded to SOLDENNIS, who has at last been dropped a little in the handicap. SHROVE should win the Falmouth Stakes, and CARBONARO the Zetland Plate.

GARTH MORE.

BETTING FORECAST.

NEWMARKET.

2.0 Race—5 to 2 agst. Zany, 7 to 2 Cock Laird, 5 to 1 Helenova, 7 to 1 Ronaldshay, 8 to 1 each Ese and Longcoat, 10 to 1 each La Patrie filly and Maple Copse filly, 100 to 8 each Heath Poult gelding and Princess Sonia filly, 100 to 6 any other.

2.30 Race—11 to 4 agst. Widow Bird, 9 to 2 Dalblaney, 5 to 1 Royal Hussar, 6 to 1 Scaliger, 7 to 1 Light Jester, 8 to 1 Nymphida, 10 to 1 Valparaiso, 100 to 8 any other.

3.0 Race—6 to 4 agst. Carbonaro, 3 to 1 Lane de Miel, 4 to 1 Hard Battle, 5 to 1 Brown Magic, 7 to 1 Scapino, 10 to 1 any other.

3.30 Race—3 to 1 agst. The Night-Patrol, 7 to 2 Pondoland, 9 to 2 Soldennis, 11 to 2 Scophius, 7 to 1 Eaglehawk, 8 to 1 Friar, 10 to 1 each Service Kit and Silver Grass, 100 to 8 Golden Arch, 100 to 6 any other.

4.0 Race—2 to 1 agst. Kitten on the Keys, 7 to 2 Vionnet, 9 to 2 Blackacre, 5 to 1 Live Wire, 7 to 1 Gulistan, 8 to 1 Queer Kate, 10 to 1 each Syndal and Lady of Lemnos, 100 to 7 any other.

4.30 Race—11 to 10 agst. Shrove, 2 to 1 Cherry Brook, 7 to 2 Sunrising, 5 to 1 Lake Leman, 8 to 1 any other.

5.0 Race—9 to 4 agst. Unison, 3 to 1 Tobermory, 4 to 1 Piper's Son, 6 to 1 Squaroon, 7 to 1 Fancy Man, 8 to 1 each First Wheat and Catalani, 10 to 1 each Junk and Victor Noir, 100 to 8 Mirim, 100 to 7 any other.

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LANARK.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME AND SELECTIONS.

Capital entries have been secured for the two-day fixture beginning here to-day, and a goodly number of horses sent for Ayr will probably remain over for the Lanark meeting. Without having had time to discover the additional arrivals, it is impossible to do more than suggest horses with claims to consideration. Selections:—

Apprentice Plate—Lady Caroline.
Bonnington Handicap—Moss's selected.
Lowther Handicap—Werwolf.
Cleghorn Plate—Finlay Creek.
Houston Plate—The Guides.
Hyndford Plate—Scintillate.

[The figures in front of the names of the horses are an index to placings in their last three engagements—reading from right to left.]

2.30—BONNINGTON (C.) HANDICAP of £150 2y.c.

000 SCOTTISH ELEGANCE (Mr. Kerson) ..... Bailey 3 8 7
010 SOUTHERN SEA (Mr. Dingley) ..... McCall 5 8 9
400 INLAID (Mr. Dingley) ..... McCall 3 8 7
000 FLYING DOE (Mrs. ——) ..... Wyllie 3 8 0
400 BEWITCHING (Mr. Burns) ..... Burns 3 7 6
000 ANTIQUITY (Mr. Dugdale) ..... Peacock 3 7 0

(The above have arrived.)

141 UNDER THE ROSE (10th. ex.) (Mr. McLean) ..... McGregor 3 9 4
030 SUNNYSQUARE (Mr. J. Bell) ..... Bell 3 9 0
000 CONTACT (Mr. T. Greenwood) ..... Moss 3 9 0
000 BUZZ ON (Mr. Simon) ..... Schofield 4 8 12
231 DREAM DONNA (Mr. Dingley) ..... McCall 3 8 12
420 COEUR DE LION (Mr. McLean) ..... McGregor 5 8 11
012 STAGE FAVOURITE (Mr. J. Lorry) ..... Burns 6 8 11
000 PERE LA CERISE (Mr. Warner) ..... Moss 5 8 10
000 LITTLE BOY (Mr. Yates) ..... Sinclair 6 8 9
000 PARISUME (Mr. Greenwood) ..... Moss 3 8 9
334 BRAZEN BULL (Mr. Wyllie) ..... Wyllie 3 8 9
302 GAY COSTER (Capt. Wilson) ..... Renwick 3 8 9
002 STOP WATCH (Mr. Bolton) ..... Botterill 4 8 8
331 GOLDEN KIT (Mr. Hartley) ..... O'Sullivan 3 8 8
038 AULD LANG SYNE (Mr. A. Scott) ..... Scott 4 8 7
021 BOARD OF GUARDIANS (10th. ex.) (Mr. E. Morris) ..... Yeates 3 9 3
000 MASTERPIECE (Mr. Kenyon) ..... Bailey 5 8 6
041 DEVIL'S MERCHIEF (Capt. Hartley Scudder) ..... Bennett 3 8 5
004 PLATTON (Mr. Grizzy) ..... Grizzy 4 8 5
130 FERTILITY (Mr. Glendon) ..... Burns 5 8 5
020 SHEFFIELD LANE (Mr. Hartley) ..... O'Sullivan 3 8 3
000 EXMOOR BELL (Mrs. H. Morrison) ..... Private 3 8 3
042 RIPE (Mr. Cameron) ..... F. Archer 3 8 3
000 VENETIAN ROSE (Mrs. T. Greenwood) ..... Moss 3 8 2
082 GUIDON (Mr. McLean) ..... McGregor 3 8 0
000 VALCASTA (Mr. Ryan) ..... Cairns 3 8 0
043 MALLEY CHARLES (Mr. Smith) ..... Drake 3 8 0
200 LOCH LOMOND (Mr. Dingley) ..... Rewwick 3 8 0
200 NUN'S VEIL (Sir G. Renwick) ..... Renwick 4 8 0
093 MANVER (Sir E. Hoyle) ..... R. Armstrong 4 8 0
300 BOLOGNA (Mr. Gibson) ..... Wyllie 4 7 13
333 COBBLER (Mr. Cunningham) ..... Wyllie 4 7 13
000 SPARTLETON (Mrs. Morrison) ..... Private 4 7 11
000 DIVINE MOVE (Mr. Scott) ..... Scott 4 7 11
000 GREEN PATH (Mr. Fickling) ..... F. Archer 3 7 11
000 MISS ANNE (Mr. Dingley) ..... McCall 3 7 10
000 ORANGE PRINCE (Mr. Armstrong) ..... R. Armstrong 3 7 9
000 PODOLIA (Mr. W. Brown) ..... R. Armstrong 3 7 9
000 BONNE NUIT (Mr. Cheshire) ..... Bennett 3 7 4
000 FERRELINE (Mr. Kinsey) ..... Private 3 7 4
000 BALSONE (Mr. Meech) ..... Private 3 7 4
000 SPARKLING GLASS (Mr. O'Sullivan) ..... O'Sullivan 3 7 3
000 PIT BOY (Mr. Murray) ..... Rooney 3 7 3
000 PINS (Capt. Elsey) ..... Elsey 3 7 3
200 MUNIMANT (Mr. Sanderson) ..... McCall 3 7 3
000 PRINCESS SONIA F. (Sir R. Jardine) ..... Collins 3 7 3
000 WARM LASSIE (Mr. Giannelli) ..... Sheldon 3 7 0
020 GUIDON (Mr. J. McLean) ..... McGregor 3 7 0
005 CANE SUGAR (Mr. J. Bell-Irving) ..... Armstrong 3 7 0

3.30—CLEGHORN MAIDEN T.Y.O. PLATE of £200. 5f. 4y.

000 CUPID (Mrs. Carnegie) ..... Peacock 3 8 12
311 VICTAGON F. (Mr. Bentley) ..... Peacock 3 8 12

(The above have arrived.)

108 SETA DEVI (Mr. ——) ..... Beaumont 3 8 12
48 OAKWOOD (Mr. Bell-Irving) ..... M. Armstrong 3 8 12
00 ROYAL PILOT (Mr. Dingley) ..... McCall 3 8 12
003 PRAYTON MAID (Mr. T. Greenwood) ..... Peacock 3 8 12
00 HEATHER BEE (Lord Lonsdale) ..... R. Armstrong 3 8 12
002 DUNSMOOR (Major W. Renwick) ..... Renwick 3 8 12
05 NIGHT GUARD (Mr. A. Scott) ..... A. Scott 3 8 12
00 REFRESHER (Mr. Dingley) ..... McCall 3 8 12
00 DORE (Mr. A. Scott) ..... A. Scott 3 8 12
000 DOUGNO (Mrs. M. Smith) ..... Foster 3 8 12
0 TORSION (Mr. R. Smith) ..... Anderson 3 8 12
000 [illegible] (Capt. Wilson) ..... J. Renwick 3 8 12
250 LADY RICHARD (Mr. Schofield) ..... Moss 3 8 12
000 DAGMAR (Mr. Bell) ..... Pope 3 8 9
041 ARC (Mr. Dingley) ..... McCall 3 8 9
30 DARKHOLME (Mr. Sanderson) ..... Peacock 3 8 9
432 PAYEMOUNT (Mr. Bell) ..... Peacock 3 8 9
404 QUICKFIX (Mr. Cameron) ..... Cairns 3 8 9
0 PROUD MAGIC (Mr. Cruickshank) ..... McCall 3 8 9
000 GILLSMOOR (Mr. Dingley) ..... McCall 3 8 9
00 HILWYNHAM (Mr. Dingley) ..... McCall 3 8 9
000 REASON ONLY (Mr. Dingley) ..... McCall 3 8 9
44 WINGS F. (Capt. Elsey) ..... Elsey 3 8 9
0 PAPHOS (Mr. Kerr) ..... Private 3 8 9
032 FINLAY CREEK (Mr. Bell-Irving) ..... M. Armstrong 3 8 9
0 BAYONA F. (Mr. Hoyle) ..... R. Armstrong 3 8 9
400 PRINCESS SONIA F. (Sir R. Jardine) ..... Collins 3 8 9

00 SUPPLEMENT (Mr. Kenyon) ..... Bailey 3 8 9
000 CLORINDO (Mr. Kenyon) ..... Bailey 3 8 9
000 DARNES (Mr. Kenyon) ..... Bailey 3 8 9
220 MIRIM (Mr. Kerr) ..... Fryer 3 8 9
030 CAPTAIN QUEEN (Mr. Gray) ..... W. Sanderson 3 8 9

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NEWMARKET RESULTS.

2.0—TRIAL SELLING PLATE of £200. 1 m. (B.M.).

Mr. Austen's br. f. KARELIA, by Cricket—Pen-stock. 4, 8-7 ..... Archibald 1
Mr. Heybourn's SOUTHERN, 4, 8-7 ..... B. Carslake 2
Lord Allendale's GOLDENDALE, 5, 8-7 ..... H. Jellis 3

Also ran—White Stream (J. Reed), De Coverley (Y. Smyth), The Bailiff (R. Jones). (Winner trained by C. Waugh).

Betting—2 to 1 on Goldendale, 5 to 1 Southern, 8 to 1 KARELIA, 10 to 1 The Bailiff, 50 to 1 any other.

Won by half a length; same.

The winner was sold to Mr. R. Colling for 200 gns.

2.30—SOLTYKOFF STAKES of £15 each, with £300 added. (two-year-olds). 6 f. 140 yds. (New D.T.C.).

Lady Sheffield's ch. c. GURZIL, by Golden Sun—Lyndelford. 8-13 ..... S. Donoghue 1
Major Loder's ROYAL CRESCENT, 8-0 ..... G. Archibald 2
Major Holliday's PRECOCIOUS, 8-0 ..... H. Lobley 3

Also ran—El Totan (H. Jellis), Sip of Pure (F. Bullock), Cock-Crow (H. Wragg), Grandeur (A. Whalley), Fair Barbara (C. Elliott). (Winner trained by Butters.)

Betting—9 to 4 on GURZIL, 6 to 1 agst. El Totan, 7 to 1 Royal Crescent, 10 to 1 Grandeur, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by six lengths; one length.

3. 0—BULLINGTON STAKES of £15 each, with £500 added. 1 m. (Suffolk Straight Course).

Duke of Westminster's b. c. HURRY OFF, by Hurry On—Gleniffer. 9-1 ..... S. Donoghue 1
Sir A. Bailey's GRETNA GREEN, 9-1 ..... Donoghue 2
Lord Glanely's LACKHAM, 3, 7-13 ..... R. Jones 3

(Winner trained by Peace.)

Betting—7 to 4 on HURRY OFF, 6 to 1 Lackham, 20 to 1 Gretna Green.

At a good pace Lackham made the running clear of Hurry Off, to the lead into the straight, when Hurry Off drew ahead to win in a canter by half a dozen lengths. Lackham, who was well beaten a quarter of a mile from home, finished a head further off third. Time—2 min. 35 secs.

3.30—BEAUFORT STAKES (Handicap) of £10 each, with £500 added. 7 f.

Mr. Falcon's br. c. TREMOLA, by Tredennis—Bachelor's Beauty. 5, 9-12 ..... G. Archibald 1
Mrs. Sean's VIGNERON, 3, 7-8 ..... F. Smith 2
Mr. G. Langley's VIRGIN GOLD, 5, 7-8 ..... R. Jones 3

Mr. A. Gordon's Bonne Race, 4, 9-8 ..... J. Leach 0
Mr. Ash's Dotcoma, 3, 8-0 ..... J. Leach 0
Mr. J. Fox's Bothereden Marble, 4, 8-5 ..... Elliott 0
Mr. Ramsden's Red Rock, 4, 8-5 ..... Jellis 0
Lord Ellesmere's Cadabra, 4, 7-13 ..... Whalley 0
Mr. Bdre's Fancy Mes, 5, 8-5 ..... C. Timmins 0
Major Wadham's Hampton Star, 3, 7-7 ..... Baras 0

(Winner trained by Bintoul.)

Betting—5 to 2 agst. TREMOLA, 4 to 1 Virgin Gold, 6 to 1 Vigneron, 7 to 1 Bothereden Marble, 9 to 1 Dotcom, 10 to 1 Bonne Race, 100 to 7 any other.

Won by a neck; same.

From a good start Tremola came on from Bothereden Marble, Cadabra, Fancy Man, and Vigneron. Tremola increased his lead as they came on, and he won in a canter by four lengths; length and a half separated second and third. Hungarian was fourth. Dotcom fifth, Bonne Race sixth, Bothereden Marble seventh, and Fancy Man last.

4.0—SPRING HALL PLATE of £200. 8 f. (Chesterfield Course).

Mr. Goculdas' ch. c. PORTSOY, by Tracery—Port Sunlight. 9-5 ..... H. Jones 1
Lord Lascelles' PATRAS, 8-5 ..... H. Jones 2
Lord Lascelles' PATRAS, 8-5 ..... H. Jones 3

Also ran—Straithbran (Jellis), Invermay (A. Leach), Winner trained by Owner.

Betting—6 to 4 agst. Patras, 7 to 4 PORTSOY, 4 to 1 Kissing Cup, 100 to 8 bar three.

Won by three lengths; two lengths.

4.30—SAXHAM STAKES of £10 each, with £200 added. 5 f. (Chesterfield Course).

Mr. Glasspool's ch. f. MORALS OF MARCUS, by Friar Marcus—Lilaline. 9-0 ..... H. Jellis 1
Duke of Westminster's CHRONOMETER, 8-0 ..... J. Smith 2

Also ran—Jessie (H. Jones), Thistle Glass (Carslake), Nonchalant (A. Leach), Mossbank (Elliott), Indiscretion (Elliott), Obliterate (Archibald), Roman (Lane), Molen (Lister), Ulva Ferry (Donoghue), Grand Folly (Whalley), Scots Grey (Archibald), Julius (Wragg), Too Bad (Robbins). (Winner trained by W. Earvis).

Betting—5 to 4 agst. Grand Folly, 9 to 4 Chronometer, 5 to 1 Thistle Glass, 100 to 8 each MORALS OF MARCUS, Indiscretion and Ulva Ferry, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by a length and a half; same.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

The programme for the second day at Newmarket is of rather a trippy nature, and winners seem hard to find, especially since fields promise to be big, despite the hard nature of the ground. Proceedings open with the Falmouth Selling plate, for which I mark Ronaldshay and Zany as the likely ones to the winner. The Swaffham Plate I leave to Valparaiso and Light Jester. Valparaiso is reported to have done particularly well in several gallops, and so he has my vote. For the Zetland Plate Carbonaro has a chance, though I believe Scapino, who is disappointed on one or two occasions, is fancied. He is, I fear, a rogue, and I think Farndon Bridge may be the danger to Carbonaro. The July Handicap, I fancy, lies between Soldennis, Eaglehawk, and Silver Grass. Soldennis is at least fairly handicapped, though even now he has, in my opinion, plenty of weight to carry, and may find it difficult to concede 2lb. to Eaglehawk, who I consider will be better suited to this distance than that of the London Cup, where he ran really well. Silver Grass is particularly well handicapped, and if anywhere near her two-year-old form the race should be a good thing for her, and as I have reason to believe she is well fancied I give her my selection. The Two-Year-Old Sale Stakes I leave to Vionnet or Breese, and any fancy is for the latter, who at her best is distinctly useful. The Falmouth Stakes look a good thing for Shrove, and in her absence Cherry Brook may be good enough. Selections:—

T.Y.O. Plate—Vionnet.
Swaffham Handicap—Valparaiso.
Zetland Plate—Carbonaro.
July Handicap—S'ver Grass.
Sale Stakes—Breeze.
Falmouth Stakes—Shrove.
Apprentices' Plate—Tobermory.

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2.0—TWO-YEAR-OLD (C.) PLATE of £200. 5f. (Chesterfield Course).

130 GYROSCOPE (Mr. H. King) ..... Leach, jun. 9 1
000 WEIGHBRIDGE (Capt. Bewicke) ..... Bewicke 8 11
334 RONALDSHAY (Lady Fitzwilliam) ..... Dugdale 8 11
0 SICILIAN C. (Ld. Harewood) ..... R. Jarvis 8 11
0 SANDY ROCK (Mr. Hall) ..... Leader 8 11
0 COCK LAIRD (Lt. Rosebery) ..... J. Jarvis 8 11
000 CALANDRIA C. (Mr. Sidebottom) ..... Leader 8 11
0 LADY LOOKING GLASS G. (Ld. Woolavington) ..... Leader 8 11
00 LOS ANGELES G. (Mr. Ash) ..... H. Leader 8 8
000 FAIRY QUEEN (Mr. Hall) ..... H. Leader 8 8
SUNFLOWER (Mr. Bentley) ..... Bentley 8 8
00 MAPLE COPSE F. (Lt.-Col. Birkin) ..... Leach, sen. 8 8
0 RICKY (Mr. Bovill) ..... H. Leader 8 8
000 BALLYHANWOOD (Mr. R. J. Collins) ..... R. W. Colling 8 8
GLOSSA II. F. (Mr. R. W. Colling) ..... R. W. Colling 8 8
0 EEK (Mr. J. Dawson) ..... R. W. Colling 8 8
000 MERCUTIO'S GARDEN (Mr. R. Day) ..... Coldbeck 4 8 0

3.0—ZETLAND PLATE of £300. For three-year-olds. 11 m.

011 BRISL (Mr. Baird) ..... Hogg 8 15
111 SOULIGN (Mrs. ——) ..... Hogg 8 15
000 POULAIN (Mrs. Meredith) ..... Hogg 8 15
000 SOLDAT (M. Calmann) ..... Taylor 7 12
241 FARNDON BRIDGE (Duke of Westminster) ..... Perse 7 12
442 LANE DE MIEL (Lord Woolavington) ..... Hardy 7 12
002 SUN LAD (Mr. John Bell) ..... J. Bell 7 9

(The above have arrived.)

321 CARBONARO (Lord M. de Walden) ..... D. Waugh 8 13
102 LUNE DE MIEL (Lady Nunburnholme) ..... Rochfort 8 13
203 CHICOT (Mr. H. King) ..... Leach, jun. 8 3
000 CHIC (Mr. Bentley) ..... Bentley 8 3
000 LACKHAM (Lord Glanely) ..... C. Marsh 7 12
000 DARK O'WHITE (Mr. Dingley) ..... Dingley 7 12
0 SHINY KID (Mr. R. Day) ..... R. Day 7 7
00 ARCHERO (Lord Rosebery) ..... C. Jarvis 7 7
430 SAN FRANCISCO (Mr. Bentley) ..... Bentley 7 7

3.30—JULY HANDICAP of £15 each, with £300 added. 1 m. (S. Course).

401 SICYON (10th. ex.) (Mr. S. Joel) ..... De Mestre 4 10 1
121 NIGHT PATROL (Lt. Wolverton) ..... Lambton 5 9 8
101 TREMOLA (10th. ex.) (Mr. Falcon) ..... Bristol 5 9 8
022 BLACK GOWN (Captain Davy) ..... Beatty 5 9 5
003 SOLDENNIS (Mr. Thomas) ..... Beatty 5 8 13
000 PONDOLAND (Mr. S. Joel) De Mestre 4 8 13
000 EAGLEHAWK (Mr. Charlie-Crew) ..... O. Bell 5 8 13
411 FRIAR (D. of Westminster) W. Waugh 3 8 10
404 GOLDEN ARCH (Mr. A. Gordon) ..... F. Leader 4 8 0
400 SERVICE KIT (Mr. Baylis) ..... Bailey 4 8 0
110 SAREBA (Mr. de Pledge) ..... F. Leader 3 7 10
000 SCOPHIUS (Mr. Bentley) ..... Bentley 3 7 10
030 LIEUTENANT (Mr. Macomber) ..... Darling 3 7 6
300 TARPON (Mr. H. King) ..... Leach, jun. 3 7 6

(The above have arrived.)

010 TIRA (Mr. Thornton) ..... Wootton 5 8 10
113 SOTPHIUS (Mr. McClintock) ..... Perse 5 8 10
000 SCAPINO (Mr. Logan) ..... Perse 5 8 10
312 SCALES (Mr. Bewick) ..... Perse 5 8 10
310 KING WILLOW (Mr. Holdich) ..... Vasey 4 7 10
000 SILVER GRASS (Mr. Rothwell) ..... Perse 4 7 10

4.0—TWO-YEAR-OLD SALE STAKE of £25, with £300 added. 5 f. and 140 yards. (New D.T.C.).

0 DUNMOW (Lord Derby) ..... Lambton 9 0 0
000 LIVE WIRE (Lord Wolverton) ..... Lambton 9 0 0
000 LIVE WIRE (Lord Wolverton) ..... Lambton 9 0 0
943 KITTEN ON THE KEYS (Mr. R. Bullen) ..... Butters 8 10 0
03 GULISTAN (Lady Fitzwilliam) ..... Dugdale 8 8
000 LOVE'S YOUNG DREAM (Mr. Dingley) ..... McCall 8 8
430 BLACKACRE (Lord Glanely) ..... C. Marsh 8 8
000 QUEER KATE (Mr. Cameron) ..... Cairns 8 8
42 QUEEN KATE F. (Mr. Carson) ..... Watts 8 8
000 SYNDAL AND SILVER (Mr. J. Bell) ..... J. Bell 8 8
135 DERVILLE (Mr. Dingley) ..... McCall 8 8
00 LADY OF LEMNOS (Mr. J. Fox) ..... J. Jarvis 8 0
000 LADY OF LEMNOS (Mr. J. Fox) ..... J. Jarvis 8 0
000 HELEN BLAIR G. (Mr. T. Jones) ..... J. Jarvis 8 0
000 SWEET HACKNESS F. (Mr. Ash) ..... Leader 7 7
3 VIONNET (Mr. J. de Rothschild) ..... Pratt 7 7
000 BREESE (Mr. F. Westigard) ..... W. Cannon 8 8
034 MAFRA F. (Sir F. Mestral) ..... C. Leader 7 7

(Winner trained by Mr. Dawson.)

YAN O. (Mr. Cameron) ..... Parsons 9 0
000 ROYAL BOY (Mr. A. Day) ..... A. Day 9 0
000 ROYAL PILOT (Mr. Dingley) ..... McCall 8 11
000 QUANDARY (Mr. I. de Rothschild) ..... Morris 8 11
011 BREEZE (Mr. F. Westigard) ..... W. Cannon 8 8
000 CHERRY BRIDGE (Mr. Marshall) ..... Morris 8 8
000 SCARLET (Mr. Dingley) ..... McCall 8 8
000 COMTESSE LOUVRE (Mr. F. Benson) ..... Norcott 8 8
408 LADY HERO (Mr. F. Benson) ..... Norcott 7 10
000 BELLE NOIRE (Mr. F. Benson) ..... Norcott 7 7
244 MAFRA F. (Sir F. Mestral) ..... C. Leader 7 7

(Winner trained by Mr. Dawson.)

4.30—FALMOUTH STAKES of £20 each, with £300 added (three-year-old fillies). 1 m. (B.M.).

144 ZETLAND (Lord Derby) ..... Lambton 9 7
444 SUNRISING (Mr. F. Benson) ..... B. Armstrong 8 7
410 CHERRY BROOK (Mr. Rimell) ..... Taylor 8 7
444 SUNRISING (Mr. F. Benson) ..... B. Armstrong 8 7
108 LUNE DE MIEL (Lady Nunburnholme) ..... Rochfort 8 7
004 LAKE LEMAN (Lord Rosebery) ..... J. Jarvis 8 7

(The above have arrived.)

034 CALANDRIA (Mr. ——) ..... Private 8 7
340 PERFECTICULAR (Mr. G. Nodding) ..... Private 8 7

5.0—APPRENTICES' PLATE (handicap) of £200. To be ridden by apprentices of their own stable, who have not ridden a winner).

311 FANCY MAN (Mr. Edge) ..... Poole 6 9 0
000 JUNE (Mr. Hassan) ..... R. Leader 4 7 11
034 UNISON (Mr. S. Joel) ..... De Mestre 4 7 11
100 MONNAIE (Mr. Cottrill) ..... Cottrill 3 7 8
000 CHARLIE (Mr. Bentley) ..... Bentley 3 7 8
00 BOATSWAIN (Mr. Carroll) S. Darling 3 6 13
083 BLUE CHEVIOT (Mr. Harrison) ..... Pickering 4 6 13
041 PIPER'S SON (Mr. Gordon) ..... C. Waugh 3 6 10
240 GOLDSTREAM (Mr. Hassan) R. Leader 4 6 7
000 INVICTA (Mr. Jones) ..... Jones 4 6 7
000 RUE BONNY (Mr. Lines) ..... Lines 3 6 7
000 SQUAROON (Mr. Bentley) ..... Bentley 3 6 7
330 FAMILIARITY (Howdrede 1) (Sir R. Jardine) ..... Jardine 3 6 7
000 YARRA (Mr. Hoyland) ..... Hoyland 3 6 4
000 MIRIM (Mr. Meredith) ..... Meredith 3 6 4
000 MERRY MAID (Mr. Hoyland) ..... Hoyland 3 6 4
000 GOLDEN BROWN (Mr. R. Day) R. Day 3 5 7

(The above have arrived.)

004 FIRST WHEAT (Mr. Tennyson) ..... Cole 8 8 1
004 PASS THE MINT (Mr. Tennyson) ..... Cole 8 8 1
000 DOWNS (Lord Cowley) ..... Templeman 4 8 1
000 TOBERMORY (Mr. Wootton) ..... Wootton 3 7 12
200 SQUARSON (Mr. Dugdale-Pennant) ..... Tiwaites 2 6 7
000 BATTLE-AX (Mr. Hassan) ..... R. Leader 4 7 8
00 IRISH REPUBLIC (Mr. Dodd) ..... Walls 8 6 13
000 TONIC (Mr. Schofield) ..... Fitzgerald 5 6 10
002 VICTOR NOIR (Mrs. G. Morris) Smith 5 6 4
000 NEED CALL (Mr. Garde) ..... Taylor 3 5 9

SCRATCHINGS—Swaffham — Welter — Patras, Legend, Gillyflower, Zetland Plate—Dreriane, Milruilleane, Somerford, Glanforte, July Handicap—Precious, Isle of Wight, Drake's Drum, Torlonia, Miss Norvid, Legend, Phaon. Sale Stakes—Knud, Adele, Cannes, Wild Marjorie colt, Falmouth Stakes—Ishiar.

"FORM" HORSES.

NEWMARKET.

2. 0—Zany.
2.30—Widow Bird.
3. 0—Carbonaro.
3.30—Eaglehawk.
4. 0—Vionnet.
4.30—Shrove.
5. 0—Piper's Son.
Double—Eaglehawk (nap) and Shrove.

A Student of Form.

THE IRISH OAKS.

PROBABLE STARTERS AND JOCKEYS.

The Oaks—worth £8,500—will be decided at the Curragh on Wednesday of next week, and a good-sized field is expected for it. Parkinson's stable will not be represented, as neither Zulu Queen nor Tuxaway runs. Meira is at present a doubtful starter, as recently she picked up a nail in her foot, and this having been extracted, she was apparently all right, but in a few days matter began to come from the spot, so it is hoped to get her to the post if the effects of the injury have passed away. Gleamoure, the winner of the Guineas in April, will be the only runner from Grundy's stable. Philip Jeehan will saddle both Far Day (second in the Guineas) and Tarpon for Mr. J. Dunne, and Mr. A. O. Gorman will be ridden by Joseph Canty and the latter by R. M. Quirke. Eastern Princess, who did some good gallops with Wayward will like the scoring, but Mrs. Harty's horse came again, and before the other down. M. Dawson saddled a couple of winners in Kinawley and Start Again, but the latter had a bloodless victory, for there was nothing to oppose him for the Williamstown Plate. Kinawley scored in the City of Waterford Handicap, for which he was opposed by only two others. The wagering was very close between him and Ballyhanny boi, the latter wound up with a slight call in the betting. The greater part of the running was made by Onagh, but he was done with at the last moment, and Ballyhanny boi just got a head in front. He failed to resist the challenge of Kinawley. There was no objection to the bumping and foul riding, but this was over-ruled. Kinawley turned out for the Knockeen Handicap, and Scrap turned out for the Carrowbeg Aquadelic. In this fell a ready prey to the favourite, who, after making all the Ironmaster retired from the lead half a mile from home, pulled her way to the front, and won in a canter by fifteen lengths. Queen Make was in front followed up his Powerstown form. Charmer Start followed up his Farmers Cup success when he won the Faithless Handicap. Park success when he won the Faithless Handicap. Park and was again quite equitably handicapped, but he was beaten a mile and a half; four lengths separated second and third.

An objection to the winner for bumping and fouling was over-ruled.

2.30—KNOCKEEN HANDICAP, £75. 1½ m.

Mr. J. Doyle's bl. or br. AQUADELIC, by Aquasson—Carrowbeg. 3-7 ..... Jamesbovle 1
Mr. S. Power's MAKE SURE, 5, 8-7 ..... A. Barrett 2
Mr. T. Sheehan's WHITE MIST, 4, 8-7 ..... J. H. Harty 3

Also ran—Mr. J. J. Parkinson's Knockbracken, 8.

Mr. T. Singleton's First Consul, 3, 9-0 ..... D. Ward 0
Mr. D. Moloney's Ironmaster, 4, 9-0 ..... Leo Canty 0
Mr. E. Gleeson's Hazelshade, 4, 8-7 ..... M. Gleeson 0

(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—6 to 4 agst. AQUADELIC, 3 to 1 agst. Knockbracken, 5 to 1 Ironmaster, 7 to 1 agst. Knockbracken, 8 to 1 any other.

First Consul, 100 to 8 any other, Ironmaster came Hazelshade refused to start, and Ironmaster came on with a long lead of Aquadelic, Make Sure, Knockbracken, and Never Mind, till half a mile from home, when Aquadelic took command, and won by three lengths; two lengths separated second and third. First Consul was fourth and Knockbracken next.

There was no bid for the winner.

3.0—DIRECTORS' PLATE of £50. 1½ m.

Mr. H. Harty's b. g. MAJOR DREYFUS, by Tomas-an-Appagin—Madam Dreyfus. 5. 9-10 ..... J. H. Harty 1
Mr. T. Kirwan's GOLDEN DIAMOND, 5, 8-10 ..... Jas. Doyle 2

(Winner trained by H. Harty.

THE HIBERNIAN BANK, LIMITED.

ESTABLISHED 1825.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, 100,000 SHARES OF £20 EACH, £2,000,000.
PAID-UP CAPITAL ..... £800,000. RESERVE FUND ..... £475,000.

DIRECTORS:
JOHN MURPHY, Esq. MARTIN FRANCIS MAHONY, Esq., Chairman.
THOMAS LEVINS MOORE, Esq. CHARLES ERNEST LAMBKIN, Esq.
PATRICK JOSEPH BRADY, Esq. WILLIAM ROBERT NOLAN, Esq.
ALFRED T. COLLINS, Esq. (General Manager).

AUDITOR:
JEREMIAH BUCKLEY, Esq., Chartered Accountant, 46 Dame street.

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS OF THE HIBERNIAN BANK, LIMITED, to be submitted to the Shareholders at their Ordinary General Meeting to be held on MONDAY, the 30th day of JULY, 1923, at One o'clock in the afternoon.

The Directors submit herewith the Statement of Accounts for the Half-year ending 30th June, 1923.

	£	s.	d.
After providing for rebate on bills, interest on deposits, and bad and doubtful debts and contingencies, the net profits for the half-year amount to	255,748	7	0
To which has to be added:— Balance of undivided profits from last Account	14,229	4	5
	£69,977	11	5
The Directors have transferred to the Reserve Fund the sum of	£27,246	4	0
And they recommend that the balance be applied as follows, viz.:— In payment of a dividend for the half-year at the rate of Ten per cent. per annum	25,000	0	0
subject to deduction of Income Tax	5,000	0	0
In reduction of Bank Premises Account	12,731	7	5
To next Account	£69,977	11	5

The amount has been carried to Profit and Loss Account.

A special profit of £47,753 16s. 0d. has been realised on Sale of Investments and has been added to the Reserve Fund, which now stands at £475,000.

By Order of the Board,
ALFRED T. COLLINS, General Manager.

Dublin, 13th July, 1923.

N.B.—The Dividend will be payable on and after TUESDAY, the 7th proximo. Shareholders are requested, in case of CHANGE OF ADDRESS, to notify the same in writing to the Secretary at their earliest convenience.

BALANCE SHEET, 30th JUNE, 1923.

Dr. LIABILITIES	£	s.	d.	Cr. ASSETS	£	s.	d.
To Capital, viz.—100,000 Shares of £20 each—£2,000,000; amount paid up, £5 per share	500,000	0	0	By Cash in hand and with Bankers	1,350,941	18	1
" Reserve Fund	475,000	0	0	" Investments, viz.— War Loans and other Government Stocks	7,784,384	12	4
" Deposit, Current, and other Accounts, including Interest due on Deposits	15,045,626	16	5	Corporation Stocks, Railway Debenture Stocks and other Securities	180,977	4	6
" Sundry Agents	47,253	19	11		9,266,303	11	11
" Rebate on Bills Discounted not at maturity	18,471	18	7	" Bills Discounted (including Irish Free State Bills), Advances on Current Accounts, Loans, etc.	6,609,733	3	3
" Profit and Loss Account £69,977 11 5					74,975	1	11
Less: Transferred to Reserve Fund.. 27,246 4 0	42,731	7	5	" Sundry Agents			
				" Bank Premises and Furniture (Head Offices and 58 Branches), written down to	178,672	5	3
	£16,129,684	2	4		£16,129,684	2	4

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT.
For Half-year ending 30th June, 1923.

	£	s.	d.
To Expenses of Management, including Directors' Fees, Pensions and Allowances, Bonuses and Grants to Staff, Rents, Taxes, Repairs, Inland Revenue Stamps, and all other outlay	124,869	5	11
" Amount transferred to Reserve Fund	27,246	4	0
" Dividend to be paid in August, 1923, subject to deduction of Income Tax .. £25,000 0 0			
" Bank Premises Account 5,000 0 0			
" Balance to next Account 12,731 7 5	42,731	7	5
	£194,846	17	4
By Balance from last Account	14,229	4	5
" Gross Profits for Half-year after providing for Rebate on Bills, Interest on Deposits, Bad and Doubtful Debts, and Contingencies	180,617	12	11
	£194,846	17	4

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

I have obtained all the information and explanations I have required in the course of my examination in detail of the foregoing Profit and Loss Account and Balance Sheet. Their market value as on 30th June, 1923, is in excess of the amount at which they stand in the Balance Sheet. I have also verified the Cash and Bills in hand at the Head Office.

The Balance Sheet is, in my opinion, properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the Company's affairs according to the best of my information and the explanations given to me, and as shown by the Books of the Company and the Certified Returns from the several Branches.

JEREMIAH BUCKLEY (Kean & Co.),
Chartered Accountant, Auditor.

Dublin, 13th July, 1923.

MARTIN F. MAHONY,
JOHN MURPHY,
WILLIAM R. NOLAN, } Directors.

ALFRED T. COLLINS, General Manager.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

DUBLIN UNITED TRAMWAYS COMPANY.—The directors, at their meeting yesterday, declared a dividend at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, less income tax, on the Preference Stock, and an interim at the rate of 2½ per cent. per annum, less income tax, on the Ordinary Stock for the half-year ending 30th June, payable on 2nd August. Dividend warrants will be posted on that date. The transfer books will be closed from the 20th inst., Friday, 20th August. Last July the interim dividend on the Ordinary Shares was at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum.

BEAUFORT BORNEO RUBBER.—Dividend of 6 p.c. actual, in respect of year to April 30, 1923.

CENTRAL RAILWAY BRAZIL COMPANY.—Dividend for the year to 30th June of 2½ per cent., less tax.

VALLAMBROSA RUBBER.—Directors recommend dividend of 4d. per share, less tax, for year ended March 31.

KENSINGTON AND KNIGHTSBRIDGE ELECTRIC LIGHTING.—Interim dividend of 5 per cent. on Ord., for half-year to June 30 last.

MANCHESTER DOCK AND WAREHOUSE EXTENSION.—Final dividend of 2½ per cent., actual, making 5 per cent. per annum, less tax, for year.

MANCHESTER SHIP CANAL WAREHOUSING.—Final dividend of 2½ per cent., actual, making 5 per cent. for year, less tax, on Ord.

NATIONAL ELECTRIC THEATRES.—Final dividend of 1½ per share on the Ord., making 2½ p.c. for the year, and 2/- per share on the Deferred. Bonus to directors £779.

DUMONT COFFEE.—Directors regret that they are unable to recommend dividend at present, and carried forward.

STANDARD BANK OF SOUTH AFRICA.—Dividend of 7/- per share on 445,000 Shares, less tax, making a total for the year at the rate of 14 per cent.

HAYES, CANDY AND CO.—Interim dividend on the Ordinary Shares for the six months ended June 30 at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, less tax.

IMPERIAL COLONIAL FINANCE AND AGENCY CORPORATION.—Dividend of 6d. 6/6 per share on each founder's share, on the stock, dividend of 6/6 per cent., less tax, upon the stock.

FURNESS, WITHY AND CO.—Directors recommend a bonus of 2½ per cent., free of tax, on the Ordinary shares for the past twelve months, which will represent a total dividend for the year of 7½ per cent., free of tax.

NEW INVESTMENT CO.—Final dividend at rate of 14 per cent. per annum on the Ordinary stock for half-year to 2nd July, less tax, and 5 per cent. per annum, less tax, on the 5 per cent. pref. stock, the interim dividend at 5% for January last, 9½ per cent. for the year, against 5½ per cent. last year.

BOURNEMOUTH AND POOLE ELECTRICITY SUPPLY CO.—Following interim dividends declared on account of the year ending 31st Dec., 1923:—2½ per cent. upon the 6 per cent. Pref. shares, 3 per cent. upon the 6 per cent. Pref. shares, and 5½ per cent. upon the Ordinary shares, less tax.

UNITED STATES DEBENTURE CORPORATION.—Following dividends declared for half-year ending 31st inst., viz.:—On the 5% preference shares, 2½ per cent. per annum, less tax; on the 6% preference stock, 3 per cent. per annum, less tax; and on the 6½ per cent. Pref. stock, 3¼ per cent. per annum, less tax.

THOS. FORSTER AND SON.—Interim dividend of 5 per cent. on the Ordinary shares, less tax, payable 1st August.

COUNTY OF LONDON ELECTRIC SUPPLY CO.—Following interim dividends on account of the year ending 31st December, 1923:—3 per cent. on the 4 per cent. Pref. shares; 3 per cent. on fully-paid Pref. shares; 3 per cent. on fully-paid partly-paid Pref. shares; and 3 per cent. on partly-paid Ordinary shares, and 4 per cent. on fully-paid Ordinary shares, all payable less tax.

MAGADI SODA COMPANY.—The Board begs to announce that arrangements for a reconstruction scheme are now well advanced, but are subject to certain assents, which it is feared cannot be obtained before the long vacation. It is hoped to have everything in order when the courts reassemble in October, and the necessary meetings of shareholders will be called at the earliest possible moment. The reconstruction scheme cannot be circulated pending the completion of certain negotiations with the Government.

EBBW VALE STEEL CO.—The Chairman at yesterday's meeting put the situation of the company very frankly. The hope of normal working after the drastic writing down of stocks and the settlement of wages in the mining industry had been disappointed. That the dividends had to be passed was due to the notorious labour troubles at Ebbw Vale last year. Much of the subsidiary colliery companies had produced a satisfactory profit. There had, however, been a falling off to heavy steel trade firms, on that side of their business. The Chairman was rather hopeful about the present year.

IMPERIAL TOBACCO COMPANY.—The directors have declared for the half-year ended 30th April last interim dividends at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum upon the 4% Preference Shares, payable 1st July; 5 per cent. per annum upon the 5% Preference Shares, payable 1st August; 10 per cent. per annum upon the "A" Preference Shares, payable 1st August; and they have also declared 7 per cent. interim dividend, free of income tax, payable 1st September, upon the Ordinary Shares, including the share certificate for Ordinary Shares issued in pursuance of the resolution passed on 25th June last. Last year Ordinary interim was 7½ per cent. on the smaller capital.

BRITISH NORTH BORNEO RUBBER TRUST.—Receipts for year to 30th June, 1923, totalled £16,729, inclusive of £5,258 income-tax recovered. After providing for all expenses and for depreciation at 7½ per cent. on buildings, the net profit was £12,873, plus £16,163 brought forward, making £29,036. Directors have transferred £5,000 to reserve, making that fund £35,000, and recommend dividend of 4 per cent., less tax, leaving £19,197 to be carried forward. Balance of £9,036 on sales of securities amounted to £9,930, which has been written off cost of investments, after taking into account reserve account and balance of profit and loss account carried forward, shows £7,450 unrealised depreciation on investments.

CHARLES SIMON AND CO.—The accounts of Charles Semon and Co., covering fifteen months to 31st March, 1923, and for the first issued since the reconstruction of the company in August last, show a loss of £35,960 for the period, against which, with a loss of £320,049 for the previous year, the reconstruction account appears on the assets side of the balance sheet at £308,830. The net liquid liabilities figure at £31,986 and trade debtors at £189,344. The directors, in their report, state that during the period progress has been made towards a settlement with the conveyance of the freehold, the formalities of which only question outstanding—the rent to be paid—the only difficulty in the way of the reconstruction being thus removed. The directors have placed at an early date a valuation of the property for construction, the result of which, they hope, will demonstrate the value of the company's assets, and have made all provision in their financial position necessary to place the accounts on a conservative basis. This has been effected in the reconstruction scheme, with the result that the assets of the company are now stated at a much more satisfactory condition as to realisable value, and the present condition of administrative changes and the present condition of the company's trade, a considerable improvement in the position may be anticipated.

CHARTERED COMPANY'S ASSETS.

OFFICIAL ESTIMATE.

Mr. A. P. Millar, Secretary of the Chartered Company, writes to us as follows:—

Various calculations having appeared in the Press of the British South Africa Company's assets as between the Company and the Crown, and the company is approved by the shareholders and by Parliament, the directors authorise me to state that, according to the closest estimate which they can form, these assets stand approximately as follows:—

Cash on hand and on deposit, about £150,000
Quoted investments (other than shares), at present market quotations 2,780,000
Rhodesia Railways Trust, Ltd., Unquoted investments, at a conservative valuation 185,000
Debtors, less creditors 200,000
Total £3,315,000

to which will be added on the 1st October next payment from H.M. Government, after providing for Rebate on Bills, Interest on Deposits, Bad and Doubtful Debts, and Contingencies 180,617 12 11

£194,846 17 4

FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

IRISH STOCK EXCHANGES.

DUBLIN.

THE FUNDS GOOD. GUINNESS ACTIVE AND FIRM. GREAT NORTHERN FLAT. LIGHT CHANGES IN OTHER MARKETS. IMPERIAL TOBACCOS GOOD.

There was generally a satisfactory trend in prices on 'Change, with a slight increase of orders in hand and business done, due generally to the rather more favourable advices regarding international worries and unsettlement. The movements in Government Funds look strangely erratic at certain points, due to last prices here being left in the official Stock Exchange List, to compare with the day's markings, despite the fact that for ten days or a fortnight the correct alterations had already taken place in London. Thus, Victory Bonds are quoted 3 lower on 90 and Local Loans 2½ weaker at 56½ on this market, whereas the actual day's true movements were gains, and, as a matter of fact, Victory Bonds rose 1 to 90 bid, and Local Loans ½ to 56-57, the previous day in London. Even some crude system of commonsense regulation of prices would do away with such glaring instances of misleading inconsistency. Consols, War Fives, and Irish Land further rose. Banks were quiet and featureless. Guinness Ord. Shares were in strong request. Dublin Distillers Pref. closed nominally much firmer on report estimates. Of the market in Great Northern Ord. Stock, for which 60 was the best bid, against 63½, the previous price; other movements were not important. Trams and Tyres were idle. Textiles and Tobaccos largely marked time, with slight irregular changes.

In the Funds, Consols rose ⅛ to 58⅛, War Loan 5 p.c. ⅛ to 100½, and Irish Land 3 p.c. ⅛ to 64½. War Loan 4 p.c. fell ⅛ to 100, and Irish Land 2½ p.c. repeated 59. The quotations for Victory Bonds and Local Loans have been already given. Dublin Port and Docks 3½ p.c. were sold at 54½.

Banks were quiet. Bank Stock maintained the recent advance to 251, and Munsters remain at 8½.

Among Breweries and Distilleries, Guinness Ord. opened ⅛ better at 35½, and later were 35s. to 35s. 9d., nominally. Dublin Distillers Pref. rose buyer at 35½, ⅛.

Marconi Ord. repeated 44s. 7½d.

The feature in Home Rails was the depression in Great Northern Ord., which closed 60 to 62½ nominally, against 63½, the previous price. Great Southern Ord. fell ¼ to 49½, and the Deben repeated 70½. Dublin and South Eastern Ord. rose ½ to 21, and Dublin and Kingstown Leased Line ¼ to 106½. Midland Great Western Rent Charge Guaranteed Stock repeated 59 and the Ord. 36.

Parent Tyre Ord. were again called 16s. 6d. to 17s. nominally.

In Drapery Shares a few Arnott Debs. were purchased at 7, the last price.

Among Manufacturing Shares, Coats rose 1½d. to 69s., and Spinners 1s. 10½d. to 68s. 9d., but Cottons fell 3d. to 53s. 4½d., 4s. 9d., while Calicos repeated 28s. 3d. and Bleachers 47s. Courtaulds were firm at 64s. 4½d. Lever Bros. Pref. 5 p.c. Pref. 21s. Imperial Tobacco rose 3d. to 70s. 10½d., and at parial Tobacco rose 3d. to 70s. 10½d., and at the latter market rose to 71s. 4½d., 71s. 6d., 71s. 7½d., 71s. 6d., but British-Americans were not better than 99s. 6d.

In Trading, etc., Burke Pref. fell 3d. to 74s. 6d. Hibernian Fire Shares again fetched 5s. "Irish Times" Pref. rose 6d. to 63s., and Metropole Hotel Ord. 1s. to 7s. 6d.

Shall Transports fell 3d. to 72s. 6d.

BUSINESS DONE AT ALL SESSIONS.

Transactions for cash marked *.

Consols (57½) 58⅛ | 4% War Ln.(100½) 100 | 5% War Ln.(100½) 100 | Funding Ln...(Dest).. 90 | 5½% Treas. Bonds...102 | Do. do.(Dest)... 102 | War Bonds, Series 4, 1924 ... 102 | War Bonds, Series 2, 1928 ... 105¾ | 3½ Land Act ... (69½) 69 | 2½ Land Act ... (64½) 64 | Local Loans....(68¾) 68½ | Dublin Port 3½ ..... 54½ | Bank Ireland(253½) 251 | Bk. Lein...(8⅞) 8⅞ | Dublin Distillers ... | Guinness(35⅜) 35½ | Marconi ...(44⅞) 44⅞ | D.S.F. Ord. ...(20½) 21 | G.S.W. Ord.(63½) 60½ 62¾ | G.S.W. Deb. ..... (50) 49½ | Do. Deb. ..... 70½ | 4Odd lot: b bid, a asked.

(Last business done given in remainder of securities.)

IRISH BANK RATE.
5 p.c. 5th July, 1923.
2 p.c. 5th July, 1923.

Discount .....
Deposit .....

STOCK EXCHANGE SETTLEMENTS.

Mining contango day.....	July 23 | Aug. 3
General contango day.....	July 24 | Aug. 7
Ticket day	July 25 | Aug. 8
Account day	July 26 | Aug. 9

BELFAST.

The Exchange was less active, but prices ruled firm. War Loan recovered to 100½. Union Bank of Australia repeated 14¾. Belfast Corporation 3½ p.c. unchanged at 65. British Cotton and Wool Dyers lower at 8s. 2½d. York Street Flax Spinning Ord. unchanged at 31½. Sawers Ord. 23s. cum. div.; the 5 p.c. Pref. brought 15s. Dunlop Rubber lower at 8s. 3d. Lever Bros. "A" Pref. repeated 21s. White, Tomkins and Courage Ord. unchanged at 24s.

DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following dealings among active stocks and shares were "marked" in London yesterday:—

Consols—58¼, ⅛, ⅜, ½, ⅝. War Loan—96½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 97. War Loan—95½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 96, ⅛, ¼, ⅜, ½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 97. Funding Loan—89½, ⅝, 90, ⅛, ¼, ⅜, ½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 91. Victory Bonds—90½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 91, ⅛, ¼, ⅜, ½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 92. Conversion Loan—78½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 79, ⅛, ¼, ⅜, ½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 80. India 7 p.c.—111½, ¾, ⅞, 112. Australia 6 p.c. Stock—105½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 106. Australia 5 p.c. Stock—101½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 102. Victoria 4½ p.c. Stock—92½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 93. Victoria 4 p.c. Stock—88½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 89. Victoria 3½ p.c. Stock—83½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 84. Victoria 3 p.c. Stock—78½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 79. Victoria 2½ p.c. Stock—73½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 74. Victoria 2 p.c. Stock—68½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 69. Victoria 1½ p.c. Stock—63½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 64. Victoria 1 p.c. Stock—58½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 59. Victoria ½ p.c. Stock—53½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 54. Victoria Land Bank 4 p.c. Stock—88½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 89. Victoria Land Bank 3½ p.c. Stock—83½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 84. Victoria Land Bank 3 p.c. Stock—78½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 79. Victoria Land Bank 2½ p.c. Stock—73½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 74. Victoria Land Bank 2 p.c. Stock—68½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 69. Victoria Land Bank 1½ p.c. Stock—63½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 64. Victoria Land Bank 1 p.c. Stock—58½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 59. Victoria Land Bank ½ p.c. Stock—53½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 54. Australian Brand—27/-, ⅛, ¼, ⅜, ½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 28/-. African and Eastern—35/6, ⅞, 36/-, 36/3, ½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 37/-. Agwi Petroleum—10/1½, 10/-, 9/11½, 10/-, 10/1½. Anglo-Egyptian Cotton—10/1½, 10/-, 9/11½, 10/-, 10/1½. Anglo-Egyptian Oilfields—22/9, 23/-, 22/9, 23/-. Anglo-Persian Oil—69/4½, 7/6; do. 8 p.c. Pref.—29/6, ⅞, 30/-, 29/6, ⅞, 30/-. Armstrong—17/1½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 18/-, 17/1½, ⅝, ¾, ⅞, 18/-. Assoc. Newspapers—Barclays Bank—Baldwins Ord.—19½, 19½d., 4½, 4¾, 4½, 4¾, 4½, 4¾,

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DOMESTICS CONTINUED (FROM PAGE 2).

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ANY number Cooks, £30 to £80.—Kennady's (over Purcell's), 68 Sackville street.

COOK General Wanted; 2 other maids kept; I.C., age 23; wages £26.—Mrs. Kennedy, "Z 3585, General," this office. 16 C

COOK General for two required, Co. Dublin; help kept; wages £28.—Apply this office. 16 C

COOK General and House Parlourmaid required, young for country girls, for quiet country home.—Apply Mrs. Kennedy, Rathcore, Enfield, Meath. 16 E

COOK General, experienced, Wanted for modern country house; 3 maids; nurse housemaid kept; good wages and comfort; send copies of testimonials.—Mrs. H. V. Mellon, Lisbeen's, Ratisfarnham, Co. Dublin.

COOK Wanted, small family; must be first class scone, pastry maker.—S 705, this office.

COOK (Good Plain) Wanted for North of Ireland Club; wages £20 to £22 per year; reference.—Box 319, Irish Times Branch Office, Belfast. 17 D

FOR Dr. Wickiow—Wanted, August 1st, Cook General for family; no dairy or poultry work; house-parlourmaid kept. Send copies discharges, Miss Vernon, Milton Road, Rathmines.

GOOD young Cook or Cook Housekeeper (Working) Wanted immediately, quiet place, near Dublin; must be a good cook; well recommended; age about five in family; four maids kept; no dairy; help given; comfortable home; good wages to right party; no discharges. Address "Z 3577, Cook," this office. 16 E

WANTED, good Plain Cook; small dairy; two other maids kept; small family; must be well recommended. Apply Mrs. Robert Goodbody, Charlestown House, Clara, King's Co.

WANTED, good Cook, Pembroke district; wages £30-£35.—S 569, this office. 16 E

WANTED, good young Cook for country; must be small family; reference; experience; Kitchenmaid might suit. Particulars to Miss L. King-Harman, Newcastle, Rathmichael, Co. Dublin.

WANTED, Cook General and House Parlourmaid, doctor's house. Apply, giving full particulars, to Mrs. Dan Bergin, Ballyroan, Rathfarnham. 16 E

WANTED immediately, good Cook General, reliable; small dairy, fowl.—Madam Fox, Galtrim House, Summerhill, Meath.

WANTED, experienced Cook General and House Parlourmaid for England; must have good references; small family; send copies and particulars and state wages.—S 635, this office. 17 F

WANTED, in London, good Protestant Cook; two in family; good wages, good outings. Apply Mrs. Edgeworth, Fortune, Merrborough. 17 F

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A SMART General Wanted, outdoor. Call, after 5 o'clock any evening, Finch Avenue, Clontarf.

EXPERIENCED General Wanted, Monntrath; two in family; good wages; copies, particulars. Address "Z 3588, General," this office. 16 E

EXPERIENCED General Wanted for Glenageary; two of children; I.C. preferred.—J 80, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 16 C

EXPERIENCED General Wanted for small family, August 3rd; very good wages; no washing. Apply with copies, to 6 New Brighton, Monkstown. 17 D

EXPERIENCED General required; must be well recommended.—47 Eaton square, Rathmines. 16 E

EXPERIENCED, required, Protestant; good cooking; for Ferbane, Co. Kilkenny.—Mrs. Gowran, Co. Kilkenny. 16 E

GENERAL Wanted, two in family and boy 4 years; plain cooking, small washing. Call, 2 to 6 o'clock, 36 Orwell road, Rathgar.

GENERAL Wanted; good plain cook; small washing. Apply 8 Winton road, Leeson Park. 17 F

GENERAL, near Blackrock, strong capable General; must be an early riser and well recommended.—S 563, this office. 13 C

WANTED at once, smart young General; good references; experienced.—Chen. 33 Kenilworth Park, Harold's Cross. 13 C

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WANTED, a good General for Co. Dublin; three in family; wages from 25rd.—S 711, this office.

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WANTED, reliable General for London in September; good wages.—Box No. 1071, Irish Times Branch Office, Belfast. 17 D

HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS WANTED.

HOUSE Parlourmaid Wanted, Protestant; small family; send references.—Turnly, Ouchendall, Co. Antrim.

HOUSEMAID, R.C., required; nurseries to be waited on and cleaned; 2 children.—Blake, Ballyginin Park, Co. Gainey.

HOUSE Sewingmaid, also young House Parlourmaid, required for Nurses' Home; must be well recommended.—S 645, this office. 17 D

IRISH Lady wants Housemaid immediately for School in South England; other Irish maids; fares paid; wages £20 first year.—Interview Dublin. Reply to 3, Herbert Park, Dublin. 15 C

WANTED, Protestant House Parlourmaid, country; small family. State age, wages, enclose copies references, S 565, this office. 15 C

WANTED, Housemaid, quick, capable girl; good wages, according to experience; near church. Apply, stating age, wages expected, with copies discharges, to Mrs. Maunsell, Beechmount, Rathfarnham. 11 D

WANTED, a young Girl for Dundrum, to train as House and Parlourmaid; must be well recommended.—S 710, this office.

WANTED, an experienced House Parlourmaid; housemaid kept; no bedroom. Apply Nutley, Ballybrack, Dublin.

WANTED, Good Strong House Parlourmaid Wanted, August 6th; would train girl who has some experience of housework.—Mrs. H. Finch, Merrville, Crom, Co. Leitrim. 17 F

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WANTED, country town, superior Maid or Nursery Governess for one child aged 6; nice manner and accent essential; able to sew a little; R.C. Address, with copies of discharges, "Z 3494, Maid," this office. 13 C

WANTED, a Nurse (Protestant), for Rathgar, to look after baby, 17 months, and help in the housework; must have good papers.—B O 309, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 13 C

WANTED, August, for quiet country place, Co. Kildare, thoroughly trustworthy competent Nurse, baby ten months; do baby's washing and mending; state wages; send copies. Address "Z 3567, Nurse," this office.

KITCHEN, LAUNDRY, ETC., WANTED.

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LADY'S Maid, R.C., to elderly or invalid lady; understands dressmaking; good needlewoman. Address "Z 3631, Maid," this office.

MOST highly recommended young Woman, few hours' work daily.—S 616, this office.

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SEWINGMAID (25); can be strongly recommended. Apply Canon Connell, Rectory, Clontarf. 13 C

DOMESTICS CONTINUED.

WORKING Housekeeper seeks situation; Monkstown, Blackrock, Dalkey preferred. Apply 10 Pakenham road, Monkstown.

YOUNG Weekly Worker disengaged; outdoor; city; good references; small family.

YOUNG Girl wants situation, housework; England preferred. Apply Mescal, Clontarf Castle, Dublin. 17 F

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EXPERIENCED Cook General; good cook; city or suburbs.—S 516, this office.

GOOD Cook, young, disengaged; kitchenmaid or help; well recommended.—K. Berry, Lackeily, Knockloe, Co. Limerick.

MOTHER and Daughter, Plain Cook and Housemaid, city; good references; business hours preferred.—S 507, this office.

THOROUGHLY reliable good plain Cook requires situation; would go temporary.—S 492, this office. 14 D

YOUNG Cook General; good cook; small family; highly recommended.—S 644, this office.

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DISENGAGED—Superior General, young, refined, neat, trustworthy; excellent cook.

GENERAL for business or private house; highest and best reference can be given. Address "Z 3502, General," this office. 11 C

GENERAL; this office. 11 C

GENERAL seeks situation; small family; no objection to country; can be recommended.—Mrs. B., 7 Maitland st., Bray.

GENERAL; excellent House Parlourmaid; go temporary; or assist housekeeper; Protestant; place.

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GOOD General wishes Daily Work in the vicinity of Ballsbridge; good laundress; all housework; well recommended; seen any day.—M. P., 1 Ballsbridge avenue, Ballsbridge.

YOUNG General wishes situation; small family; plain cooking; small washing; well recommended.—S 537, this office.

YOUNG General; plain cooking; small family; England preferred; well recommended.—S 611, this office.

YOUNG General; plain cooking, small washing; small family; recommended.—S 695, this office.

YOUNG country Girl seeks situation as General; small family; recommended.—S 518, this office.

HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS DISENGAGED.

EXPERIENCED Parlourmaid or Housemaid; would go temporary; Protestant.—S 584, this office.

EXPERIENCED Parlourmaid or Housemaid wishes a place; well recommended. Address "Z 3589, Maid," this office.

EXPERIENCED Parlourmaid, would go House Parlourmaid, city, suburbs; good references.—S 608, this office.

EXPERIENCED House Parlourmaid, disengaged July 24th; highly recommended.—S 634, this office.

EXPERIENCED Parlourmaid, Protestant, disengaged; situation, small family, suburbs, County Dublin neighbourhood, or Wicklow preferred.—Registrar, Girls' Friendly Society, 20 Upper Merrion street.

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HOUSE Parlourmaid disengaged, R.C.; wages £25; country preferred; satisfactory papers. Address "Z 3603, Maid," this office.

HOUSE Parlourmaid, Catholic, steady Girl; recommended; town, country. Address "Z 3629, Maid," this office.

LADY highly recommends her superior Maid as House-parlourmaid; Protestant; excellent needlewoman; disengaged first week in August.—Mrs. Dodd, Post Office, Sutton, Co. Dublin. 16 C

SUPERIOR Housemaid disengaged; small family, suburbs, city; long papers.—S 619, this office. 13 C

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YOUNG Girl wishes situation as Housemaid or House Parlourmaid; South suburbs; disengaged August 6th; highly recommended. Apply Doyle, Stillorgan Post Office, Co. Dublin. 17 D

YOUNG country Girl wishes to train as House Parlourmaid; good references.—B O 314, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

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RESPECTABLE country Girl would mind children; assist housework; highly recommended.—B O 313, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

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